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U.S. Mint At Philadelphia,
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Correspondence, 1792-1904

GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE,
1792 - 1899

1891: MAR. To APR.

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U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1891 / MARCH

No. 1562 Philadelphia, ~~Mo.~~ 3 30 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

11 ~~Ton~~ cords Cate wood ~~Coal~~.

Carted by

Murphy

J L Graham

No. 1658 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 30 1891.

Print

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Ton Cord Oakwood Coal.

Carted by Murphy

J L Graham

No. 1687 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 30 1891.

Mine

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Tons Oak wood ~~Coal~~.

Carted by Morgan

T. B. Keller
Weigher

No. 2 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 2 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN SCOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 ½ cords Oak wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by Moyden

Jno Reidenbach

No. 121 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 3 1891.

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Cords of oak wood Coal.

Carted by Moyan } Jno Reidenbach

No. 209 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 4 1891.

Mink

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Tons Cars Oak Coal.

Carted by Hyde } Jno Kuchenbach

No. 163 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 4 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/ Pon cords Oak wood Coal.

Carted by Moyden Jno Reidenbach

No. 256 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 5 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cords Oak wood Cord.

Carted by Moya } Jno Reidenbach

No. 385 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 6 1891.

Ulmt

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Ton cord of oak wood Coal.

Carted by Morgan } Jno Reidenbach

No. 277 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 5 1891.

Ruiz

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cross cut wood *Coal.*

Carted by Moyer } Jno Reidenbach

No. 414 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 7 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 Ton cross oak wood ~~Coal~~.

Carted by Myers } Wm Reidenbach

No. 415 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 9 1891.

Rainer

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cords Oak wood Coal.

Carted by Murphy

J. L. Graham

No. 5470 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 10 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Ten cords oak wood Cord

Carted by

Snyder J. L. Graham

No. 637 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 10 1891.

Mink

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Cords Oak ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Myder } J. L. Graham

No. 695 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 11 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ cords oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Murphy } Jno Weidenbach

No. 347 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 12 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Tons cross cut wood Coal

Carted by Murphy

H. B. Kelle
Murphy

No. 746 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 12 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 Tons cords clean wood ~~Coal~~.

Carted by

Murphy

H. B. Keller

Mich

No. 801 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 13 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 Ton 2 cords oak wood Coal.

Carted by

Morgan

J. L. Graham

No. 862 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 14 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cords Oak wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by Hayden } Jno Reidenbach

embar

No. 861 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 14 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton circs clar wood Coal.

Carted by Morgan Jno Rudenbach

No. 927 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 16 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cords oak wood Coal.

Carted by Morgan Jno Radenbach

No. 1028 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 17 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Cords of oak wood

Carted by Lloyd } Jno Reidenbach

No. 998 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 17 1891.

Mr

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 cords oak wood Coal.

Carted by

Thos Jno Reidenbach

No. 1048 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 18 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ For cords clak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Monday Jno Reidenbach

No. 1169 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 19 1891.

Truitt

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ ~~Ton~~ cords Oak wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by Morgan

Jno Reidenbach

No. 1110 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 20 1891.

Mr. Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Tons Cords Oak wood Coal.

Carted by Murphy } J. McReidenbach

No. 1169 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 2 1891.

Ruiz

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 ~~Ton~~ cord Oak-wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by

Murphy Jno Reidenbach

No. 1257 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 21 1891.

Quint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/3 ~~Ton~~ cords Oak wood Cd.

Carted by Wm Jno Reudenbach

No. 1289 Philadelphia, ~~3 Mo.~~ 23 1891.

Furnit

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/ Ton circus Oak wood Coal.

Carted by Moyer Jno Reidenbach

No. 1354 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 24 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

Ton 2 cords oak wood Coal

Carted by

Murphy

H. B. Keller
Weigher

No. 1355 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 25 1891.

Ruiir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

For 2 cords oak wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by

Mazdin J. L. Graham

No. 1460 *Philadelphia,* 3 *Mo.* 25 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 ~~Tons~~ Cords Cake wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Mydwt

F. L. Graham

No. 147 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 26 1891.

Brunt

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Tons cedar wood Coal.

Carted by Murphy

H. B. Keller
Weigher

No. 1567 Philadelphia, 9 Mo. 28 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 ~~Ton~~ cords Clark-wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by

Murphy Jno Reudenbach

No. 1 Philadelphia, 3 Mo. 2 1891.

Mine

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cross oak wood Coal.

Carted by

Myadin J W Reidenbach

All remittances must be made direct to the Philadelphia office by draft on Philadelphia.

NO CLAIMS ALLOWED AFTER FIVE DAYS.

BUCKSKIN
GLOVES,
MITTENS & GAUNTLETS,
Also, every variety of
LINED AND UNLINED
KID GLOVES.
Commission Hosiery.

9640

Philadelphia, Pa., March 19 1891

Mills Mill at Phila Pa

Bought of JAMES ROBERTSON,

MANUFACTURER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT

DOMET SKIRTINGS & SKIRTS, BUCK GLOVES,

Mills, Gloversville, N. Y. Office and Salesroom, 16 Bank Street.

Order 1185

Memo

1	12 Dz pairs Buck Mittens	900	108 00	
				108 00

Recd 3/19/91

TELEPHONE No. 1846.

Philadelphia, Mar 21 1891

United States Mint.

Order #1186

Bought of Wm. F. Bernstein,

Manufacturer of and Dealer in Supplies for Government, State and City Departments,

NO. 401 VINE STREET.

315 E

Mar	20	6 Yellow Chamois skins	"		85	5 10
		3 doz sweeping brushes 12"	"	11	=	33 =
						38 10

Recd 3/20/91
" " 24 "

☞ *No Claims allowed unless made within five days after receipt of goods.*

Philadelphia, March 2nd 1891

Mint of the United States at Philada.

EDWIN H. FITLER,
EDWIN H. FITLER, JR.
WILLIAM W. FITLER.

Bought of **EDWIN H. FITLER & CO.,**

PHILADELPHIA CORDAGE WORKS.

STORE:—No. 23 N. Water Street, & 22 N. Wharves.
WORKS:—Bridesburg, Philadelphia.

Ao 1119

TERMS: .....
PHILADELPHIA FUNDS.

86 ft 5/8" Manila Rope	10¢	12¢		1 20
1 Dble 5" S.S. Block D.B.	c	1.75		
1 Triple 5" do	c	2.25		
		4.00		
Less 25 %		1.00		3 00
				4 20

Corner

Recd 3/3/91

Apr 23/11/91

Scraps

From 121. to 220 Inclusive Burrell. M & R Scraps

Weight 47.426 pounds

Shipped to Ed Babbock Hiss Storage St. J.

Delivered to Central Railroad. N.J.

Carr March 17/90

Receipt on file in Chief Clerks Office 5618. G.

Goods sent out on order Superintendent. Order on file Custodians Office

March 17/90

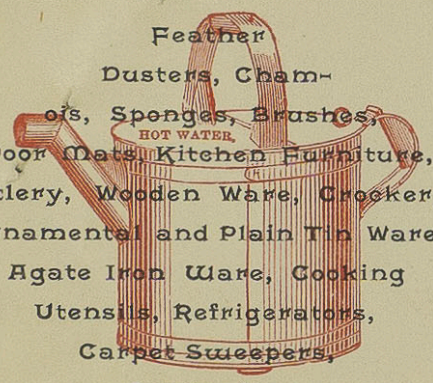
Robert Stevenson — 2c
1 Coal Stevenson Lane
Feb 25 1905

927 James S Nelson Jr
One (1) Box of Musket Shot
1" x 1/2

929 James S Nelson Jr
One (1) Pistol Lock Stevenson
Lane (Coal Stevenson)

931 James S Nelson Jr
1 Box of Musket Shot

ESTABLISHED BY WM. AUSTIN IN 1840.



Feather Dusters, Chamois, Sponges, Brushes, Door Mats, Kitchen Furniture, Cutlery, Wooden Ware, Crockery, Ornamental and Plain Tin Ware, Agate Iron Ware, Cooking Utensils, Refrigerators, Carpet Sweepers, Commodes.

NOTE—Bills are rendered monthly. Should there be any corrections in items or prices, our customers will favor us by reporting the same at once.

PHILADELPHIA, Mar 11th 1891

Mint of the United States

Order #1143

Bought of J. FRANKLIN MILLER,

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS AND FANCY ARTICLES,

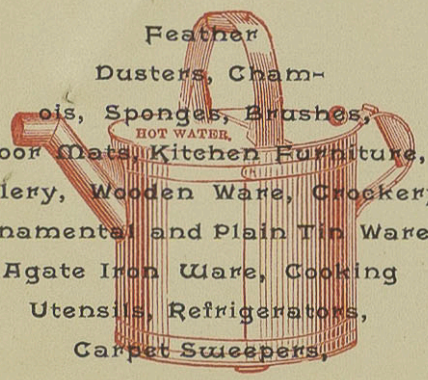
Copper Ware Repaired and Retinned,

TERMS, CASH.

S. E. Cor. 17th and Chestnut Streets.

	1 doz acid dishes			3	00

ESTABLISHED BY WM. AUSTIN IN 1840.



Feather Dusters, Chamois, Sponges, Brushes, Door Mats, Kitchen Furniture, Cutlery, Wooden Ware, Crockery, Ornamental and Plain Tin Ware, Agate Iron Ware, Cooking Utensils, Refrigerators, Carpet Sweepers, Commodes.

NOTE—Bills are rendered monthly. Should there be any corrections in items or prices, our customers will favor us by reporting the same at once.

PHILADELPHIA, Mar 11th 189

Mint of The United States

Order # 1143

Bought of J. FRANKLIN MILLER,

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS AND FANCY ARTICLES,

Copper Ware Repaired and Retinned,

TERMS, CASH.

S. E. Cor. 17th and Chestnut Streets.

	1 doz acid dishes			3	00

Walker & Lepler

12½ hours time in putting electric lights into Storekeepers office

19
976
795-

571

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

Folio..... PHILADELPHIA, 3/1 189 1

Mr United States Mint

Juniper & Ches. St

To WALKER & KEPLER, Dr.

No. 531 Chestnut Street.

189

		To Balance	1	56		
Feb	17	*To Bill Rendered*	15	05		
	27			99	$	17.60

We render a statement of account the first of each month, whether the account is due or not.

Please examine the above, and if not correct, advise us immediately. If correct we would thank you for an early remittance.

WILL DRAW AT SIGHT FOR ACCOUNTS NOT SETTLED AT MATURITY.

I. C. WALKER. H. G. KEPLER.

Walker & Kepler,

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS,

DEALERS IN

Supplies, Electroliers, Specialties,

Edison Electric Light System.

531 CHESTNUT STREET.

Bergmann Electric and Gas Fixture Co.
Arc Light Dynamos.
Universal Arc Lamp Co.
Detroit Motor Company.
Habirshaw White Core Wire.
McCreary Patent Silver Reflectors.

LICENSED BY
PHILADELPHIA FIRE UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION.

TELEPHONE No. 1088.

Philadelphia, March 9/81

Mr Jas E. MacLane
U. S. Mint Dear Sir

Pls send us an order
covering filling and due
today assay Molybdenum
$1 — 25 Thurber Outlet
2 Horn Labs —

Yours truly
Walker & Kepler

Add. 6. Sockets

Order 1155 March 10th

Walker and Kepler

1. No. 25 Ampere Switch

2. Hours Labor on Motor

Assay Dept

6/8 Sockets - 1 Handle

Genl Dept

For Consideration

Recd 3/10/91

I. C. WALKER. H. G. KEPLER.

Walker & Kepler,

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS,

DEALERS IN

Supplies, Electroliers, Specialties,

Edison Electric Light System.

531 CHESTNUT STREET.

Bergmann Electric and Gas Fixture Co.
Arc Light Dynamos.
Universal Arc Lamp Co.
Detroit Motor Company.
Habirshaw White Core Wire.
McCreary Patent Silver Reflectors.

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TELEPHONE No. 1088.

Philadelphia, March 6th, 1891

Mr Jas. E. Mac Lane,

U. S. Mint,

13th & Chestnut Sts., Phila.

Dear Sir:-

The following is a list of materials and labor consumed on work done at your place this week. Kindly send us order for same and oblige.

30 ft. Silk cord,
1 Porcelain ceiling cutout,
6 ft. #3 moulding,
2 Wooden socket handles,
2 Adjustable balls,
2 Gas Attachments,
3 ft. 3/8 hard rubber tubing,
1, 1/8 Plain key socket,
12 ft. #16 B. W. G. Rubber wire,
19 hours labor.

Yours respectfully,

Walker & Kepler

TERMS—30 DAYS NET. All claims must be made within FIVE DAYS from date of bill. TELEPHONE 1088.

I. C. WALKER.
H. G. KEPLER.

Philadelphia, 3/10 189

U. S. Mint

Phila

Per Schmoff

AGENTS AND CONTRACTORS
EDISON
System for Electric Lighting
ARC AND INCANDESCENT.

Bergmann Electric and Gas Fixture Co.
Arc Light Dynamos.
Universal Arc Lamp Co.
Detroit Motor Company.
Habirshaw White Core Wire.
McCreary Patent Silver Reflectors.
Edison Motors.

To WALKER & KEPLER, Dr.

Order No. ..... *Via* .....

No. 531 CHESTNUT STREET.

6	1/8 Plain Key Sockets				
6	Socket handles				

No. 722 Philadelphia, Mar 4 1899

From Excelsior Brick & Stone Company,

York Road and Hunting Park, 25th Ward.

Mr. W. S. Mull

Chestnut st

500 STRETCHER BRICK.

Carter, Randal

Received by

Wm. F. MURPHY'S SONS, STATIONERS PHILA.

Recd March 4th 91
Your Office

Received from Joseph
Rowland on behalf of
March 16th 1891
for the under
116 Bills Specie

U. S. Mint
Meeting Room
1-14 Ft Sadeler
order 1148 Recd 3/11/91

DENNISON MFG. CO.
TAG
MANUFACTURERS

630
CHESTNUT ST.
PHILA.

From **J. FRANKLIN MILLER'S**

OLD-ESTABLISHED

HOUSE FURNISHING STORE,

S. E. Cor. 17th. and Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

James E. MacLane
Paid S. Heim, amount
of this Bill. Keller

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

Office,

March 17th, 1891.

Mr. J. E. McLane Costodian.

to

S. Heim

Rec'd. 3/18/91

for four Sheets of French Veneering @ 15 ct. 60 ct.

Six Bar faire @ 5 ct. 30 ct.

90 ct.

Approved
James E. MacLane
Custodian

Rec. payment
S. Heim

The above required for Case & Closet, Coining Room

James E. MacLane

Recd Apl 17 - 1891

1 Load Bar Sand from

Geo. Alcorn

Schimpf

Receive March 9/91
For 2, Bars 7/8 in Rd in steel
41 1/2 pounds

J E MacLum

From Fairmount Steel Works

Order 1145

Recd 3/9/91

ALEX. FOSTER,
JAS. CULLEN.

FAIRMOUNT STEEL WORKS.

Philadelphia, Mch. 7, 1891

Mint of the United States

BOUGHT OF **ALEX. FOSTER & CO.**

MANUFACTURERS OF

Superior Qualities of Cast Steel, adapted for all kinds of Tools, Machinery, Car and Carriage Springs, &c.
Also, Frog Plates and Points, Sledges, Sledge Blanks, Piston Rods, Valve Stems,
Crank Pins, Slide Bars, Connecting Rods, &c.

CAST STEEL FORGINGS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS MADE TO PATTERN AT SHORT NOTICE.

Order No 1135

TERMS CASH.

WORKS: S. E. cor. 24th St. & Pennsylvania Avenue,

OFFICE:—2325 SPRING GARDEN STREET.

2, Pans Steel 7/8 Rd.		
40 lbs @ 18½ ¢		$7 40

Shipped

Rec'd 3/9/91

5,000-12-88

No. _____ Philadelphia 3/11 1889

Received from WM. SELLERS & CO., Incorporated, Engineers,

In good order,

8- 3/4" Bolts 4 1/4" long
2- Plates } #3162

On Contract For U. S. Mint

Recd 3/11/89

30
2

Mar 31st 1891

Morrell Dobbins
500 Hand Stretcher Brick

Recd 3/31/91

5,000-12-88

No. Keep this Philadelphia 3/7 1891

Received from WM. SELLERS & CO., Incorporated, Engineers,

In good order, 3, Pillow Blocks bolt dishes
12 Tallow cup covers & pins
1 - 7" wall plate
2 Cast Iron Belt Boxes in 4 p'cs.
2 Columns & Girder in 6 p'cs.
26 Bolts For U.S. Mint
4 Bolts

Correct

4900
8 odk

March 12

J. E. Lonergan rec'd

#1130

12, glass Oil Cups

for Corner

Ap 3/7/91

Recd 3/5/91

395
13
382

MAR 6 1891

Philadelphia, 18

Received from MORRIS, WHEELER & CO.

on board

for Mint of the U. S.

for

Mark: 382 lbs

Wt. ~~429~~

6 Bars of Iron. Av 63½

Bundles of Iron.

Plates of Iron.

Bars of Steel.

Bundles of Steel.

Kegs of Rivets.

Kegs of Nails.

Kegs of Spikes.

Boxes Bolts and Nuts.

Boxes Horse Shoe Nails.

Recd 3/6/91

DUPLICATE

Carter,

James E MacLane

EINWECHTER & WYETH,

DEALERS IN

Steel, Files, Blacksmiths' Tools, etc.

512 Commerce Street.

Philadelphia, March 24th 1891

Delivered Mint of the United States

Two Anvils for Blacksmiths Use

order 1197 5 11 lbs

Custodian

Recd. 3/24/91

EINWECHTER & WYETH,

DEALERS IN

Steel, Files, Blacksmiths' Tools, etc.

512 Commerce Street.

Philadelphia, Mch 14th 1891

Delivered Mint of the United States

1 Sheet Brass # 13 G.

19½ lb

order 1076

Recd 3/14/91

EINWECHTER & WYETH,

DEALERS IN

Steel, Files, Blacksmiths' Tools, etc.

512 Commerce Street.

Philadelphia, Mch 189 1

Delivered Mint of the United States

One Small Bundle #24 Best Blom Galvanized Iron 24" wide X 96 long 18 3/4 lbs.

Custodian

order No 1145 —

recd 3/9/91

Recd from
George Osborne
March 17th 91
1 Bushel white
Sand for the
Earth Matrix

Recd 3/17/91

Mar 11th 1891

John R Rowand

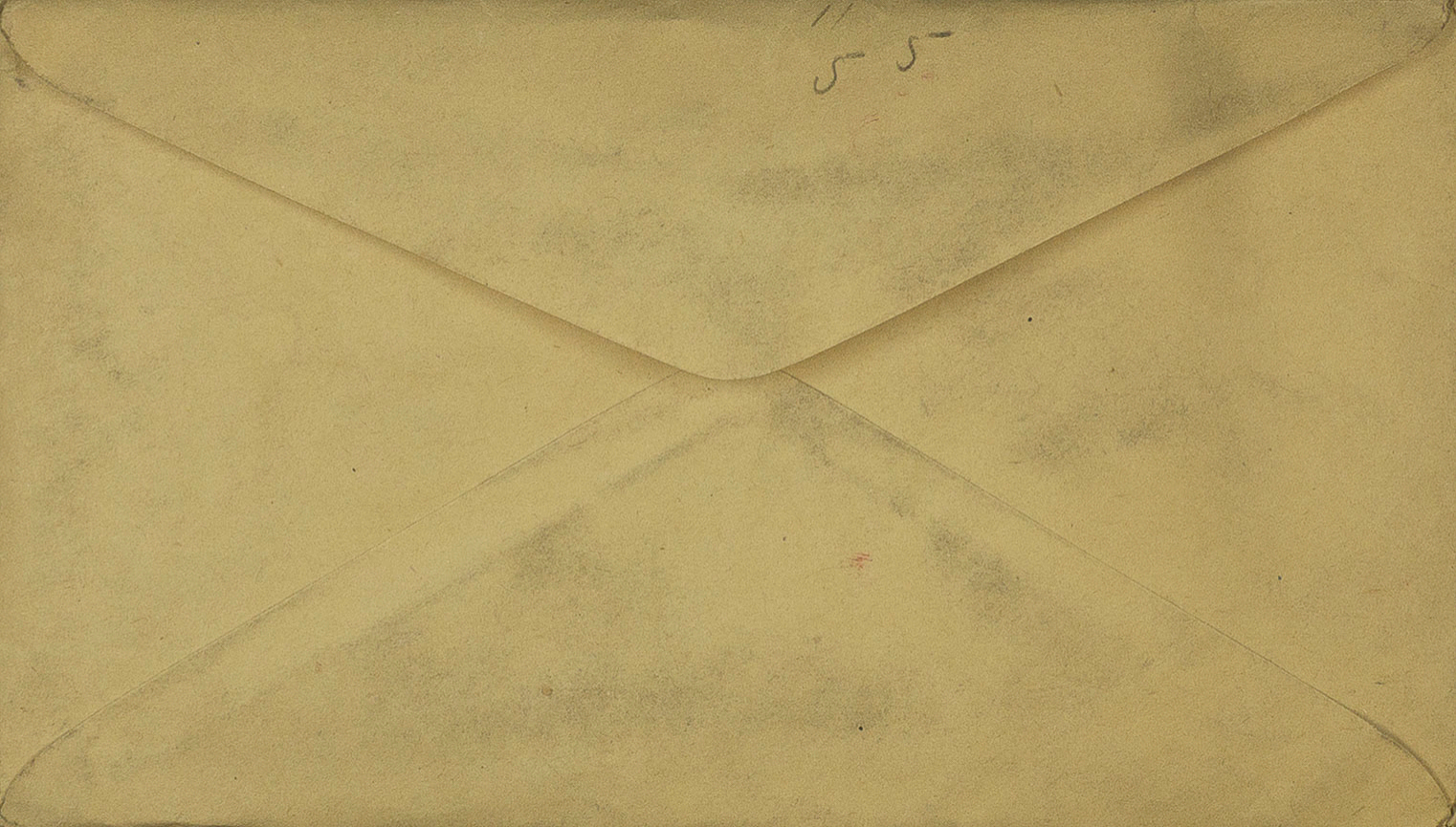
237 lbs Pulverized charcoal
1385 " Granulated. "

Read 3/11/91

COMMERCIAL ICE COMPANY,
1418 SOUTH PENN SQUARE,
PHILADELPHIA.

U. S. Mint

Ice for March 1891



Philadelphia, March 2 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint 300 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5150
4850
300

Philadelphia, March 3 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint 270 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno F. Rittenbach

Snow on Scales

Weight 270. lbs

Philadelphia, March 4th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

H. S. Mint 400 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Rudenbach

5240
4840
400

Philadelphia, March 5 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint 260 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5460
5200
260

Philadelphia, March 6th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 320 lbs. Ice.

Received by J. W. Reidenbach

5480
5160
320

Philadelphia, March 7th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Muir 130 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

6200
6070

130

Philadelphia, March 9 *1891*

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

for U.S. Mint — 300 *lbs. Ice.*

Received by J. L. Graham

120
75
85
20
3001

Philadelphia, 3/10 1891

U.S. Mint

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

290 lbs. Ice.

Received by W. B. Keller
Weigher

4850
4560
290

Philadelphia, March 11 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 360 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Rudenbach

5880
5520
360

Philadelphia, March 12 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

W. S. Mont 330 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

4730
4400
330

U.S. Mint *Philadelphia,* 2/13 *1891*

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

260 *lbs. Ice.*

Received by H. B. Keller
Weigher

5460
5200
260

Philadelphia, Mar. 14 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 405 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

6380
5975
405

Philadelphia, March 16 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 190 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Rudenbach

6260
6070
190

Philadelphia, March 17 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint 280 lbs. Ice.

Received by Geo Reidenbach

5780
5500
280

Philadelphia, March 18 *1891*

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint 350 *lbs. Ice.*

Received by J. W. Reidenbach

$$
\begin{array}{r}
5650 \\
5300 \\
\hline
350
\end{array}
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Philadelphia, March 19th 189,

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 320 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5300
4980
320

Philadelphia, March 20 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 350 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5250
4900
350

Philadelphia, March 21st 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mirk 270 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

6500
6230

270

Philadelphia March 23 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 380 lbs. Ice.

Received by J. M. Reidenbach

5650
5270
380

U. S. Mint Philadelphia, 3/24 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

370 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Keller
Weigher

5150
4780
370

Philadelphia, 3/25 1891

N. S. Grant

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

400 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Keller
Weigher

U.S. Mint

Philadelphia, 3/26th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

360 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Keller
Weigher

5910
5560
360

Philadelphia, March 28th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 330 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Kidenbach

Scales in use

330 lbs

Philadelphia, 9/30 1891

U S Mint

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

380 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Keller
Weigher

5805
5425
380

U.S. Mint

Philadelphia, 3/31 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

350 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Keller
Weigher

6420
5070
1850

Philadelphia, March 16 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint Granulating 620 lbs. Ice.

Received by J. M. Reidenbach

6070

5450

620

Philadelphia March 17 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U.S. Mint Granulating 510 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5300
4990
510

Philadelphia, March 18th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint Granulating 150 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5300
5750

150

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

The American Watchman's Time Detector.

New York, MAR 2 1891 188

Mr Mint of the U. S. Philada. Pa
Custodian

In account with J. S. MORSE, SUPT.

234 BROADWAY, opp. Post Office,

Payable in N. Y. City funds. Formerly at 31 ASTOR HOUSE.

To Bill Rend . 300

We sent duplicate receipted bills at you request immediately subsequent to shipment, and presume this has escaped your attention.

—U. S. MINT—

Philadelphia, Nov 24 1890.

Doorkeeper will pass Genl Coll Pa

from 2 o'clock to P. M. clock

J. A. EGE,
Custodian.

D. K.: Please take up and return this pass.

Mar. 2d 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
300 pounds of Ice Yard Depot

Elias Pohl
530 feet Basswood

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 3d 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.
270 pounds of Ice Coal Deposit.

Brown, De Puyster & Co.
5 Yds Dark Back Oil Cloth
½ Hide Machine Buffed Leather
1 Box (1,000) Uphol. Brass Hd. Tacks
1 Piece Leather Gimp for Chairs
1 " " " " Desks
4 pounds black Hair
2 papers each 3d & 4oz Tacks
5 Springs # 5
5 Yds Burlap
51 Leather Uphol Buttons

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 4th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
400 pounds of Ice Coal Dept

Elias Pohl
110 ft ½ in Walnut Lumber fld 2 Sides
201 " 1 in " " " " "
78 " 1½ in Oak Flooring

Edison Electric Light Co.,
For Electricity Consumed From
Feby 1st to Mar 1st 1891
No of Lamp Hours Consumed 75,216
@ ¾¢ per Lamp Hour $564.12
No of Horse Power Hours Consumed 76
@ 7½¢ per H.P. Hour $5.70

Excelsior Brick & Stone Co.,
500 Stretcher Brick

H. B. Kelker
Weigher

Mar 5th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
260 pounds of Ice Genl Dept

E. A. Hollis
2 Doz Hooks and Eyes
1 Door Bell and Levers (Alarm)

Knickerbocker Lime Co.,
5 Bushels of Lime

H. B. Kelber
Weigher

Mar 6th 1891

To Custodian
Commercial Ice Co.,
320 pounds of Ice Seal Dept
W. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 7th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
130 pounds of Ice Land Dept

E. A. Mollis
1 Doz 3in Saw Files
1 " 3½in " "
1 " 4" " "
1 " 4½" " "
1 " 6" " "
1 " 8" " "
1 " 10in Mill Saw Files
4 Closet Locks
1 Ream Sand Paper (Assorted)
1 Doz Pair 2 + 2½in Light Wrought iron Loose Pin Butts.

Brodie & Comfort
24 - ½in Galvanized Ells
1 Sett of Wheels for Barnes Improved Cutters Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

~~H. B. Keller~~
~~Weigher~~

Morris, Wheeler & Co
6 Bars of Iron, 382 pounds

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 9th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
300 pounds of Ice. Jail Dept

Einwechter & Wyeth
1 Bdl No 24 Best Bloom Galvd
Sheet Iron 24in wide 96 ft Long, 183 lbs

Walker & Kepter
30 ft Silk Cord
1 Porcelain Ceiling button
6 ft No 3 Moulding
2 Wooden Socket Handles
2 Adjustable Balls
2 Gas Attachments
3 ft 3/8 in Hard Rubber Tubing
1 - 3/8 in Plain Key Socket
12 ft No 16 B.W.G. Rubber Wire
19 Hours Labor

Thackara Mfg Co.,
1-4 Light Chandalier
Combination Fixtures (Weigh Clerks Room)

H. B. Kelker
Weigher

Mar. 10th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
290 pounds of Ice. Coil Dept

E. A. Mollis
3 Doz Wardrobe Hooks

Walker & Kepler
1 No 25 Ampere Switch
2 Hours Labor on Motor Assay Dept
6-1/8in Sockets and Handles Same "

Brodie & Comfort
1 Coil 1+2 1/2 lbs Lead Pipe (56 ft)
1-1in Brass Union

J. Franklin Miller
1 Clothes Basket or Hamper
about 2: 6" high. 18in Sq at top
For Weigh Clerk.

Stacy Reeves & Son
Planing 3 Maple Plank

H. B. Kelber
Weigher

Mar. 11th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Box
360 pounds of Ice. Gent Dept

J. Franklin Miller
1 - 14 ft Ladder, for Waiting Room

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar. 12th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
330 pounds of Ice. Jail Dept

E. A. Hollis
4 Drawer Locks
4 Blank Keys
1,000 Punned Rivets 3 pounds

Rohler & Shoemaker
2 Bbls Portland Cement

H. B. Kelker
Weigher

Nov 13th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
260 pounds of Ice Genl Dept.

Elias Pohl
224 ft 2in White Pine Plank
Planed 2 Sides.

E. A. Hollis
3 Yale Latch Keys

W. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 14th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.
495 pounds Ice, Jail Dept

~~Kolker & Shoemaker~~
~~10 lbs Roll Sulphur~~
~~40 " " "~~

E. A. Hollis
10 Pair 2½ + 2½" Bronze Butts
1 Yale Spring Drawer Lock
2 Closet Locks
2 Bronze Closet Latches

Edward Darby & Sons
Heavy Galvanized Wire Grating
For Vault

W. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar. 16th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
190 pounds of Ice. Genl Dept.

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 17th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,

280 pounds of Ice. Genl Dept

Elias Pohl

428 ft 2" Yellow Pine Flooring

112 " 3 pieces 4+4" + 28 ft Yel. Pine

71 " No 1 Ash Plank Planed 2 Sides

E. A. Hollis

1 bar Builders Auger Bits 9/16" 20" long

1 " " " " 11/16 " "

1 " " " " 13/16 " "

1 " " " " 17/16 " "

1 " " " Brace

6 Drawer Pulls.

H. B. Kellex

Weigher

Mar. 18th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
350 pounds of Ice. Genl Defct

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 19th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
320 pounds of Ice, Jail Depot

E. A. Hollis.
2 Doz Stay Nails

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar. 20th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
250 pounds of Ice Geil Supt.

Roller & Shoemaker
5 Galls Gasoline

E. A. Hollis
1 Automatic Door Spring No 101

Walker & Kepler
1 #25 Ampere Switch
2 - 50 Light Fuses
2 - 60 " "
11 Hours Labor

J. S. Thorn
1 Heavy Sheet Iron Box
3'+6" Long, 22" deep, 16" Wide

Elias Pohl
420 ft White Pine Fencing
3 pieces 4"+4" - 14' Yellow Pine

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 21st 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.
270 pounds of Ice Genl Dept.

E. A. Mollis
2 Boxes #42 Brass Wd Tacks

Roller & Shoemaker
5 Galls Turpentine.

W. B. Roller
Weigher

J. E. Mack

Mar 23d 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.

380 pounds of Ice, Genl Depot

Knickerbocker Lime Co.

5 Bushels of Lime

1 Load of Bar Sand

Rotter & Shoemaker

12½ pounds of Venetian Red in oil

W. B. Keller

Weigher

Mar 24th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.:

370 pounds of Ice. Genl Dept.

Elias Pohl

48 ft 4" Ash Plank Planed 2 Sides

28 " 4 + 4" Yellow Pine

240 " 3 + 4. Hemlock

Einwechter & Wyeth

2 Anvils for Blacksmiths use

253 + 258 = 511 pounds

H. B. Kelles

Weigher

Mar 25th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
400 pounds of Ice Civil Dep't.

E. A. Mollis
2 Yale Padlocks No 863
for Bar Custodian

Roller & Shoemaker
3 Bbls Portland Cement

Knickerbocker Lime Co.,
1 Load Bar Sand.

W. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 26th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
300 pounds of Ice. Jail Dept

Roller & Shoemaker
5 Galls Linseed Oil
5 pounds Whiting
1 Gall Adams Japan Dryer

Trumby, Hunt & Co.
1 Lounge (rattan) Cabinet

John T. Lewis & Bros Co.,
300 pounds Pure Lead in oil
357 - 57 = 300 pounds nett.

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar 28th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.
330 pounds of Ice. Seal Dept.

W. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar. 30th 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.,
380 pounds of Ice, Civil Defst

Bureau of Gas
For Gas Consumed from
Dec 31st 1890 to March 31st 1891
235,600 cubic feet

Murrell Dobbins
1,000 Hard Stretcher Brick

H. B. Keller
Weigher

Mar. 31st 1891

To Custodian

Commercial Ice Co.
350 pounds of Ice Civil Def't.

Murrell Dobbins
500 Hard Stretcher Bricks

Knickerbocker Lime Co.
5 Bushels of Lime

Brodie & Comfort
6 - 3/8" Gas Cocks
1/2 Gross 5 ft Lava Tip Burners
1 Doz 1/4" Plugs.

W. B. Keller
Weigher

(Form 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 2d 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Fourth National Bank	30000	Ounces, at $0.9825
Zimmerman & Forshay	50000	Ounces, at $0.9825
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $0.9825
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90 -1,000.)

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Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 2nd, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
MAR 3 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

THOMAS W. SEGAR, President. D. F. STILLMAN Cashier.

National Niantic Bank.

Westerly, R. I., March 2 1891

Superintendent U S Mint Phil Esq., Cashier,

Dear Sir:

Your favor of — inst. is received, with enclosures as stated.

Yours respectfully,

D. F. STILLMAN, Cashier.

I enclose

Please send me circular of list of Medals &c &c

Also if you have the "Metis" medal now.

1131

Westerly, R. I.
March. 2. 1891

Nat: Atlantic Bank.
D. F. Stillman

Wants list of Medals. &c.
also "Mels" Medal.

RECEIVED
MAR 3 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,

51 Wall Street.

New York, Mch 25 1881

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 27th inst. of 29 Silver Bars Nos 83188 to 83216 inclusive 30236.85 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1133

New York
March 2. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 3 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Washington D.C.
Nov. 2. 91.

To the
Director U.S. Mint
Phila. Pa.

Sir:

My brother, A Briggs Kittson. (Room 1. No. 30. Hanover St. Boston Mass.) is interested in mining enterprises, and has written me for a copy of the latest issue of a work entitled "Production of Gold & Silver in the U.S."
I understand that you have the said work for gratuitous distribution. If such is the case - will you kindly oblige me by sending my brother a copy of the same.

Very respy
Yours H B Kittson
1105. K. St.

1132

Washington. D.C.
March 2. 1891

W. H. B. Kittson

Wants latest issue of
work on Production of
Gold & Silver in U. S.

RECEIVED
MAR 3 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Book sent

Office of Clark, Hodge & Co.,

51 Wall Street.

New York Feb 2 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~

Phila

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 26th inst. of 53 Silver Bars Nos 83133 to 84185 inclusive 3,976 60 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Hodge & Co.

1134

New York
March 2. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

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MAR 3 1891
U.S. SENT. LIBRARY

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 2, 1891.

A. C. Bashyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of Feb., 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Del #4.9	2.00
TOTAL	$2.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 2nd, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of Feby, 1891

RECEIVED
MAR 3 1891

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

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Washington, D. C., March 2 1, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

You will please cause to be coined during the month of March 1,200,000 silver dollars.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

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Treasy Dep't
Washington, D.C.
March 2. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director

1.200.000 Silver Dollars to be coined during month of March.

RECEIVED
MAR 3 1891

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT;

Washington, D. C., March 3, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Ill. #52	2,00
TOTAL	$2,00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 3, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of

March, 1891

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MAR 4 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Form 94.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT.

Washington, D. C., March 3, *189* 1.

Superintendent U.S. Mint,
Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania.

Sir:

The following Telegram sent you to-day is hereby made official, viz:

Advance purchasing rate of silver to ninety-seven and three-quarters cents per ounce fine.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 9-5-'90—1,500.)

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Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
March 3 - 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Telegram made official.
Advance Silver to
97 3/4.

RECEIVED
MAR 4 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

P

Washington, D. C., March 3, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Upon receipt hereof, you will advance purchasing rate of silver to ninety-eight cents per ounce fine.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

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Treasury Dept.
Washington D.C.
March 31 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Advance Silver to
98 cts per ounce fine

RECEIVED
MAR 4 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC PRINTER,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

March 3, 1891.

Superintendent,

U.S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

This Office has on hand a large quantity (probably 2,500 or 3,000) old book covers, as well as leather side-titles for books, which have been stamped in gold.

Please inform me whether or not the Mint has facilities for burning out this gold, and, if so, whether you would be willing to do the work, and turn the proceeds over to this Office.

Very respectfully,

F. W. Palmer

Public Printer.

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Office of Public Printer.
Washington. D.C.
March 3. 1891

Mr. F. W. Palmer
Public Printer.

Relative to Old Book Covers
stamped in Gold.

RECEIVED
MAR 4 1891
U. S. PRINT. PHIL.

THOMAS DARLINGTON,
COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
Evening Post Building,
206 BROADWAY,

New York, 3rd March 1891

O. C. Boyd Shell Esq

My dear Sir

Will you kindly send me the price list of the proof coins for the year of 1891 and oblige

Respectfully yours

Charles F Darlington

206 B'way

New York

1135

New York.
March 3. 1891

Chas. F. Darlington

Wants price list of
Coins of 1891.

RECEIVED
MAR 4 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Circular

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street.
New York, Mch 3 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 28th ~~inst~~ of 1 v Silver Bars Nos 83218 to 83232 inclusive 560 2 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1136

New York.
March 3. 1891

Clark. Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 4 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Appalachian Bank.

Bradley Gilbert Co. Louisville, Ky.

Big Stone Gap, Va. Mar. 3rd. 1891. 189

Treasurer of the U.S.Mint.

Philadelphia.Penn.

Dear Sir:-

We understand that on receipt of New.York.exchange,you will ship,all express charges paid,change,such as coppers,nickels,dimes &c.If this is so we will in the future send direct to you for our change.We would be glad to hear from you on the subject.

Respectfully

W. A. Lis Dowell.

President.

1138

Big Stone Gap. Va.
March 3. 1891

Appalachian Bank

Asks for circular relative to Minor Coins.

RECEIVED
MAR 6 1891

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, March 3rd 1891

Mr O C Boobyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 48 bars of silver weighing 50103.70 oz.
Kindly send returns for the above including check on a/c (tomorrow without fail) to the order of the Hanover Natl Bank of N Y City

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1137

New York
March 3. 1891

Zimmermann & Forshay

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 6 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

B. B. Marshall & Son,
Jewelers.
242 Nicollet Avenue.
Minneapolis, Minn.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 3 1891

U. S. Mint, Gentlemen,

On Feby. 6th, last month, we sent to you by registered letter a piece of gold wire for you to assay for us. Not knowing what you charge we enclosed in the letter a draft of two dollars with the statement that if the charge was more we would remit the balance. You recd. the registered letter on the 10th Feby, for we have your recn. sent to us thro the registered department dated Phila. Pa. Feby. 10. 1891, and signed as near as we can decipher it "O. C. Bushyshell, per A. B. Sayre." Now it is nearly a month since we sent the letter and recd. your recn. for the same but we have not heard anything from you since. Please send us a certificate of the assay at once as there is something important pending. Truly Yours

B. B. Marshall & Son

1150

Minneapolis. Minn.
March. 3. 1891

B. B. Marshall & Son

Complain of not receiving
certificate of Assay.

RECEIVED
MAR 6 1891

N. KESSEY, Pres't

G. W. PITTS, Vice Pres't.

M. D. GIBBS, Cash.

Bank of Northwestern Iowa,

ALTON & IRETON, SIOUX CO.

IOWA PRINTING CO. DES MOINES, IA.

ALTON, IOWA. March 4th 1891.

U. S. Treasurer
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir, —

Enclosed for redemption and remittance find some burned silver money which was burned in a poor house here yesterday.

Yours truly
M. D. Gibbs

RECEIVED
MAR 9 1891
Treasurer U. S.

1137

RECEIVED,
MAR 9 1891
A.D.A.
TREASURER, U.S.

A148

Alton, Iowa

Bank of Northwestern Iowa

Mch 4/91

Engraved

mutl. Silver coin

(amount not stated)

Treasury of the U.S.,
March 9, 1891.

Respectfully referred to the Superintendent U.S.Mint, Philadelphia, to whom the coin within referred to has been this day forwarded by registered mail, for returns direct to the writer, who is advised of this reference.

J. O. Whelpley

Asst.Treasurer U.S.

Mint

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 4, 1891.

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States at* Phila., *in* Feb & Mar. 1891.

Denomination S.S. Dollars.

No. of Delivery.	Weight.		Fineness.		
	Grains.	Dec.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.
47	412	.65		900 2	
	412	71		899 9	
48	411	40		900	
	412	25		899 9	
49	412	30		900	
	412	42		899 8	
52	412	25		900	
	412	62		899 9	
Average	412	.32		899.9+	

Cabell Whitehead

Assayer.

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Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 4, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Phila. Pa

Sir:

I transmit herewith the Assayer's report upon assay coins taken from the first and two subsequent deliveries in each week at your Mint during the Month of Feb. & March, 1891, *and forwarded for test as prescribed by the Regulations.*

The coins were found to be within the legal limits of tolerance.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 2-2-'88—500.]

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 4, 181.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Sends Assayers Report upon Assay Coins February. March '91.

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 4th 1891

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Clark Dodge & Co	100000	Ounces, at $ 0.9870
Zimmermann & Forshay	50000	Ounces, at $ 0.9874
Heidelbach Ickelheimer & Co	40000	Ounces, at $ 0.9860
Handy & Harman	250000	Ounces, at $ 0.9864
Handy & Harman	50000	Ounces, at $ 0.9874
Wells Fargo & Co	79000	Ounces, at $ 0.9870
American Exchange		Ounces, at $
National Bank	5600	Ounces, at $ 0.9875
	625000	
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 1-2-'91—1,000.]

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FORM NO. 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 4, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 4, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I will thank you to forward a statement of silver delivered by Nesslage, Colgate and Company, on their sale of 100,000 ounces, at 99.10 cents, on the 20th ultimo, as no statement has been received covering this amount.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

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Treasury Dept.
Washington D. C
March 4. 1891

E. O. Leech
Director.

Forward Statement
of Silver delivered
by Colgate & Co, on
their sale of 100.000
ounces
No statement
rec'd

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(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 4, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, 1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Lil. #53	2.00

TOTAL $2.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 4, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891.

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No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 4, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.
Supt. U.S. Mint, Phila Pa.

Sir:

Enclosed herewith you will find 3.61 oz. of gold bullion of the following fineness; Gold 735.5 Silver 215. Please return value in money.

Very Respectfully
Cabell Whitehead
Assayer Bureau Mint

Pkg $50.00 Paid

1117

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 4, 1891.

E. O. Leech
Cabell Whitehead, Assayer ~~Director~~.

Sends 3.61. oz of Gold Bullion - for returns in money.

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U.S. MINT, N.Y.

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THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,

128 BROADWAY,

GEO. S. COE, President.
DUMONT CLARKE, Vice-President.
EDWARD BURNS, Cashier.

NEW YORK, March 4, 1891

Hon. Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

Inclosed, please find schedules for 27,119,50 and 29,328 ozs. of silver shipped you to-day in accordance with the acceptance by the Director of the Mint of our offer to him of this silver at 98.75#

Very respectfully,

Cashier

(W)

1139

New York
March 4. 1891

Amer. Ex. Nat'l Bank

Ship Silver

MAR 5 1891

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street,
New York, March 4th 189 1

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Philada

Sir:

There will be further shipments to you for our account from Omaha of 100,000 ounces of silver.

Please account to us for same as usual, and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

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New York
March 4. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

GIES & CO. BUFFALO, N.Y.

WM. CAMPBELL. WM. CAMPBELL, JR. J. S. CAMPBELL.

J. G. & W. Campbell,

MANUFACTURERS & DEALERS IN

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FARM IMPLEMENTS STOVES & TIN-WARE.

NATIONAL TUBING & CASING, CONKLIN WAGONS, CORDAGE BUCKEYE MOWERS AND REAPERS.

Butler, Pa. May 4 1891

Supt U. S. Mint

Dr Sir

Please send me the late list of Medals & Cabinet Coins.

Yours

J. S. Campbell

1141

Butler. Pa.
March 4. 1891

J. S. Campbell

Wants list of Medals &
Cabinet Coins.

CAPITAL $2.000.000.

THE HOMER LEE BANK NOTE CO. N.Y.

WILLIAM L. STRONG, President. EDWIN LANGDON, Vice President. EDW. SKILLIN, Cashier.

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The Central National Bank

of the City of New York.

New York March 4th, 1891.

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

We understand from Mr. Haines, of the sub-treasury, that we can now obtain new quarters. We enclose herewith, our check for $1,000., on the Bank of North America, for which please send us that amount in new coin, and oblige,

Yours respectfully,

E. Skillin

1142

New York
March 4. 1891

Central Nat Bank

Enclosed check $1.000
for returns in new Coin.

MAR 5 1891

THE SCOTT STAMP & COIN CO., L'd.

NUMISMATIC DEPARTMENT.

LYMAN H. LOW, Manager.

POSTAGE STAMPS, COINS AND MEDALS.

No. 12 EAST 23d STREET.

HENRY COLLIN, PRES.
HENRY L. CALMAN, SECT'Y & TREAS.

New York, March 4th 1891

Col. O. C. Bosbyshell,
Phila. Pa.

Dear Sir:

We enclose herewith, a cent of 1890 of the British North Borneo Co. with our compliments.

Very truly

SCOTT STAMP & COIN CO., L'D.

Form 38-29-7-89 8.000.

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New York
March 4. 1891

Scott Stamp & Coin Co.

Enclose cent of 1890
of the British North
Borneo Co.

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227 W 135th St

New York Mch 4/91

Superintendent of the Mint.

Phila. Pa.

Dear Sir.

Will you please forward me the printed list of medals ~~rec~~ the Mint has for sale; and advise me when the proof sets of this years coinage will be ready.

Yours Truly

Geo W Kenney

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New York
March 4. 1891

Geo. W. Kenney

Wants list of medals for sale at Mint. Asks when proof sets of 1891 will be ready.

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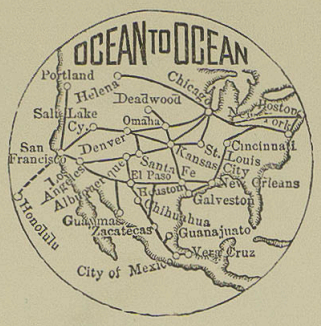

Wells Fargo & Company's Bank,

63 Broadway, NEW YORK.

March 4, 1891.

Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:--

Herewith we hand you invoice of 76 bars silver containing 79,197.15 ozs of fine silver, to cover our sale made this day of 79,000 ozs. at $ .9870 per oz.

We will thank you to send us by return mail, a check for the largest amount it is customary for you to advance on purchases of this character, and oblige,

Yours truly,

H. B. Parsons, Asst. Secy.
per

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New York
March. 4. 1891

Wells Fargo & Company's B'k

Shipe Silver

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U. S. Sub-Treasury

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 & NASSAU ST.

New York March 4 1891

Dan O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir.

We have shipped you today for Adams Express Co. through the Am Exchange Nat. Bank
109 Bars Silver = 1115.511.02 ozs
as per enclosed invoices which kindly apply ok our sales today of
250m ozs @ 98.64

Please write us
pounds can of Am Ex. Nat. Bank

Yours respy
J. Handy & Harman

1146

New York
March 4. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

MAR 5 1891

OFFICE OF

FINCHER BROTHERS,

WATCH-MAKERS AND JEWELERS.

DEALERS IN AND REPAIRERS OF

WATCHES, JEWELRY, MACHINES,

AND

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Fort, Valley, Ga. Mar 4 1891

U, S, Mint
Philadelphia

Dear Sirs
Please inform us what it would cost us to assay about one hundred dollars worth of Gold. watch cases jewelry &c and coin it we also have a small lot of old Silver we would like to have coined there is more than one hundred dollars worth of gold Some filings please let us hear from you at an early date and oblige

Fincher Bros

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Fort Valley. Ga.
Mar. 4. 1891

Fincher Bros.

Ask cost of assaying
certain amount of old
Gold & Silver.

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Circulars

WM. M. TALBOTT & CO.,
Packers of the Celebrated
LIBERTY BRAND OF FRESH OYSTERS,
—And Shippers of—
FISH, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES,
No. 6 W. Barre Street,
P. O. BOX 406.

Baltimore, Mar. 3rd 1891

Director of the U. S. Mint
Phila Pa

Dear Sir

Please send us the latest report issued of Precious metals.

By so doing you will confer a favor on

Yours Very Respect.
Wm M Talbott Co

1148

Baltimore, Md.
March 4, 1891

Wm. M. Talbott & Co

Want latest report of
Precious Metals.

MAR 6 1891

HEIDELBACH, ICKELHEIMER & CO.,

BANKERS.

New York, Mch 4 — 1891.

To the

Director of the Mint

Philadelphia

Dear Sir:—

In accordance with Telegrams exchanged with the Director of the Mint at Washington today, we confirm our Sale of 40,000 — oz. Fine Silver @ 90.60.

which we will ship you tomorrow per. Ad. Ex.

We remain, dear Sir.

Yours, Very Respectfully

Heidelbach Ickelheimer & Co

1147

New York

March. 4. 1891

Hendelbach, Ickelheimer & Co

Confirm Sale of Silver today.

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., ~~March 4th, 1891.~~ 189

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Supt. U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Colonel:

Yours of the 3rd. inst., enclosing check for $20.00, also letter from Mr. Wharton received. I shall communicate Mr. Whartons ideas to the Supervising Architect later.

It will be impossible to get a photograph of the bill, or indeed to get the bill itself. There is such a mass of bills at the State Department that they will not pay any attention for a request for any particular one.

I believe the pen used by the President in signing the bill was secured by Mr. Bingham or Mr. O'Neill. You might write to them on the subject.

I rejoice with you all at the successful results of our efforts.

Tell Mr. Cobb I received his letter and thank him for the same.

Very truly yours,

E. Leech

Director.

1118

Treasury Dept.
Washington, D.C.
March 5. '91

E. O. Leech.
Director

Relative to letter of 3rd.
relative to check for $20,
& letter from Mr Wharton.
Further remarks.

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(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 5, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Del. #54	2.00
TOTAL	$2.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 5, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March '91, 1891.

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No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT.

Washington, D. C., March 5, 1891

Sir:

Requisition has this day been made upon the Printer for blank

Memorandums of Gold Bullion deposited (Form No. 42 e

and as requested in your letter of the 4th inst, 1000

copies will be mailed you as soon as received.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Bolyshell, Esq
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia

[Ed. 1-13-'81—1,000.]

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Treasury Department.
Washington. D. C.
March. 5. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Requisition made upon Printer for Memorandums of Gold Bullion, Deposited Form. 420.

MAR 6 1891

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 5, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I will thank you to return me for the inclosed $3.82 two silver and minor coins proof sets, for 1891.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

2 sets rec'd from Comer and sent by registered mail Friday Mch 6.

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Treasury Dept.
Washington, D.C.
March 5, 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Sends $3.82 for two silver & minor coin proof sets.

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HEIDELBACH, ICKELHEIMER & CO.,

BANKERS.

New York, Feb. 5 1891.

To the Director of the Mint
Philadelphia.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to our Letter of yesterday, we beg to inform you that we have forwarded today to your address per. Ad. Ex.
39 fine Silver Bars, amounting to
40117 80 ozs. as per Statement.
Will you kindly send us on receipt Check on N.Y.
for the usual Percentage on accounts,
& thereby oblige

Yours Very Respectfully
Heidelbach Ickelheimer & Co

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New York
March 5. 1891

Herdelbach, Ickelheimer & Co.

Ship Silver

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MAR 6 1891

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

Handy & Harman.

124 NASSAU ST.

New York Dec 5th 1891

Mr O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Chile.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today for Adams Express Co. through the Am Exchange Nat. Bank
26 Bars Silver = 25.996 oz.
at sale 4 of 250m ozs @ 98.64
48. Bars Silver = 50.252.55 oz.
to complete sale 4 of 50m ozs @ 98.74
as per Enclosed invoice.

Please write us proceeds care of Am Ex. Nat Bank

Yours resp
Handy & Harman

Note You will receive tomorrow morning 13.100 ozs from Penn Lead Co. which apply on sale 250m @ 98.64

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New York
March 5. 1891

Handy & Harman
Ship Silver

MAR 6 1891

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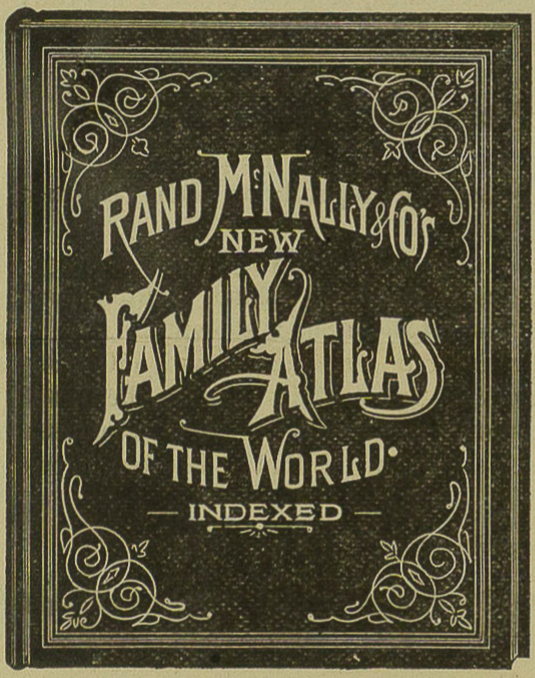

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No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, March 5th 1891

Mr O C Boobyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philada Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 46 bars of silver weighing 50107.25 oz.
Kindly send returns for same, including check for a/c (tomorrow without fail) to the order of the American Exchange Natl Bank of N.Y. City

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1151

New York
March. 5. 1891

Zimmermann & Forshay

Ship Silver

March 5th 1891

Oliver C. Boobyshile Esq

Kind Friend.

Having accepted the agency for Messrs. Rand. McNally & Co. Family Atlas for this City. Which is useful. and interesting for both office and household. and the best work for the money ever issued $3.75 I would be pleased to have you subscribe for one or more copies. It will assist me for which I will reciprocate should it ever be in my power

Yours Fraternally

Geo A Heinicke

2635. Jefferson St

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Sunday Dispatch

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Phila.
March 5. 1891

Geo. A. Hencken

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copy of Attar.

Recd
March 6. 1891

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THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,

128 BROADWAY.

GEO. S. COE, President.
DUMONT CLARKE, Vice-President.
EDWARD BURNS, Cashier.

NEW YORK, March 5, 1891

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq.,

SUPT. U.S. MINT,

Philadelphia, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

We are sending you by this mail, an invoice of 50,107.25 ozs silver shipped you by Zimmermann & Furshay to-day.

As we have made advances on this silver, we would ask you to take notice that the returns for the silver are to be made to us in accordance with their instructions.

Very respectfully,

Cashier

(W)

1149

New York
March 5. 1891

American Ex. Nat. Bank

Ship Silver

MAR 6 1891

OFFICE OF
S. P. SHEPARD,
341 FIFTH ST.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Mar 5th 1891

To the Director of
the Mint at Phila
Dear Sir
Will you please forward to me
at the above address, the last
printed report of the production
of Gold & Silver in the United States
and the United States Coinage.

If the reports have not been
made for the year 1890, send
me the previous years reports and
file this letter as an application
for 1891, when issued.

Your courtesy in this
matter will much oblige

Yours very truly
Stephen P. Shepard

1161

Louisville. Ky.
March 5. 1891

S. P. Shepard

Wants last report of Production of Gold & Silver Bullion.

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MAR 7 1891
U. S. MINT

Baldwinville Mass 8 8/91

Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia Penna

Dear Sir

I here with send you an impression taken from an old coin a duplicate of which I do not find in any collection in this vicinity. I presume that you (if anyone) can tell by what Government it was issued and that is what I would like to know – if there is expense in looking it up please inform me & I will pay it

please address

L. M. Bradish

Baldwinville, Worcester Co Mass

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Baldwinville Mass.
March 5. 1891

L. M. Bradish

Asks what Govt issued certain Coin.

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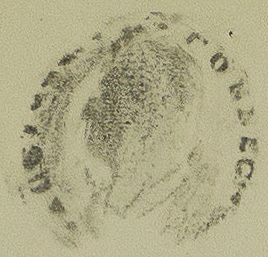
U. S. MINT, PHILA.



Face Reverse

auctoritate Consulis Flid

inde 1787

letters in capitals

the Bust upon the face side looks like an Old Roman, whilst the female upon the Reverse could be called delicate so far as form is concerned

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MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 6, 1891

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Fourth National Bank	26,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9825
Fourth National Bank	20,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9830
Nesslage, Colgate & Co	50,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9835
Moore and Schley	50,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9830
Moore and Schley	50,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9835
Zimmerman & Forshay	50,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9830
Zimmerman & Forshay	30,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9835
	216,000	Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 1-2-'91—1,000.]

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FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 6, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

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MAR 7 1891

BIGELOW, KENNARD & CO.,
511 WASHINGTON STREET,

CABLE ADDRESS,
"KENNARD."

BOSTON, March 6, 1891

Supt U. S. Mint.
Philadelphia Pa.

Dear Sir;—

We send to the Mint today, per Adams Ex. paid, a silver plate of which we would like to ascertain the quality.

Will you oblige us by having it assayed (if possible, without disfiguring it, or injuring it for the purpose for which it is designed) and report the result to us.

Yours very respectfully
Bigelow, Kennard & Co.

1159

Boston. Mass.
March 6. 1891

Bigelow, Kennard & Co.

Send Silver plate to ascertain its value.

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MAR 7 1891

M. BONN & CO.,

Diamonds, Watches, Jewelery,

SILVERWARE, &c.

No. 807 LIBERTY STREET.

Pittsburgh, Pa. Mch 6 1891

Philadelphia Mint—

What is the lowest amount of old gold & silver you will buy?

Yours respy

M. Bonn & Co

Dyas T.C.

1158

Pittsburgh. Pa.
March 6. 1891

M. Bonn & Co.

Ask smallest amount
of old Gold & Silver
Mint will buy.

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MAR 7 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

circulars

R. L. Edwards Pres't. James B. Colgate, Vice Pres't. B. C. Dwyer, Cashier.

CAPITAL $ 1,200,000. SURPLUS $ 300,000.

THE BANK OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

ORGANIZED 1836.

New York Mch 6 1891

Supt of the Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

Herewith we enclose invoice silver bars. 50564 60 oz a/c of Kessler Colgate & Co. for which please make return by draft on U. S. Asst Treas. N.Y. under cover to this Bank

Yours truly

R L Edwards

Pres't

1157

New York
March 6, 1891

Bank of State of New York

Ship Silver

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Law Offices of
Benner & Benner,
62 Wall Street,
New York March 6th 1891

Charles Benner
Willis Benner

Robert Benner, Counsel

Superintendent. U. S. Mint.
Philadelphia Pa.

Dear Sir: You will confer a great favor on the undersigned by sending him the new 10¢ piece of 1891, this year, as soon as it is out. I enclose 12¢ to pay for same and postage.

Thanking you in advance for your kindness I am

Yours very truly.

Gustav Ave

1155

New York
March 6. 1891

Gustave Ane

Wants Dime of 1891.
& encloses 12¢

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MAR 7 1891

Philadelphia Mint

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find 10 - 2 ct stamps or 20 cts. for 20 cts worth of old pennies and 3 cts pieces. have you any very old pennies if so send them to me, - besides I send you 5 cts worth of stamps to pay postage. If you have any old Gold Coins let me know.

Yours.

William Urquhart
431 West Wayne St
South Bend Ind.

1154

South Bend. Ind

Wm Urquhart

Enclosed Stamps
for certain Coins.

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MAR 6 1891

Stamps Returned with Card
Scott Co. Mar. 6-1891

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York, Dec 6th 1891

Mr. W. C. Bostwick Supt.
Chile.
Dear Sir
We have advice
of the Shipment from the Vema
Lead Co's Works. of
13 Bars: 13.100.50 ozs Silver
as per enclosed invoice which kindly
apply on sales 4.c of 250m ozs @ 98.64
Please mail Bounds care of
Am Ex Nat. Bank
Yours resp'y
Handy & Harman

1163

New York
March 6. 1891

Handy & Harman
Ship Silver

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THE PACKARD NATIONAL BANK
OF GREENFIELD, MASS.

Nov 6 189

Sir. Since writing you 5th inst the "One cent pieces, have arrived

To ——

Respectfully yours,

Supt The Mint
Phila

W. Parsons Cook

1169

Office of

City Clerk & Collector.

G. W. HACKNEY, Clerk.
A. H. WILSON, Collector.

Springfield, Mo., 3 mo 6 1891

To the Director of
the US Mint

Dear Sir

I desire to procure $10 worth of 1 cent pieces please inform me how I can get them

Very Respectfully
A H Wilson

1164

Springfield. Mo.
March 6. 1891

A. H. Wilson

Wants to procure $10. worth
14 prices.

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MAR 9 1891
U. S. ARMY

circular

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 7, 1891.

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States*

at Philadelphia *in* March, 1891.

Denomination S.S. Dollars.

No. of Delivery.	Weight.		Fineness.		
	Grains.	Dec.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.
53	412	98		900	
	413	17		900	
54	412	40		9008	
	412	61		900	
Average	412	79		9002	

Cabell Whitehead

Assayer.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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MAR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. 170.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 7, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Phila. Pa.

Sir:

I transmit herewith the Assayer's report upon assay coins taken from the first and two subsequent deliveries in each week at your Mint during the Month of March, 1891, *and forwarded for test as prescribed by the Regulations.*

The coins were found to be within the legal limits of tolerance.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 2-2-'88—500.]

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 7, 1861.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Assayers Report upon Assay coins. March 1891

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U. S. Mint, Philadelphia

No. of Inclosures,

No. 109.

Treasury Department,

T.F.Y. OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 7, 1891.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Ordinary Refinery "Coinage of Silver Bullion" Expense Accounts, with Abstracts and Vouchers, for the month ending February 28, 1891.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt Mint U S
Philadelphia Pa.

[Ed. 1-28-'87—1,000.]

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Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
March. 7. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Ackg receipt of Ordinary Refinery & coinage of Silver Bullion Expense Acct. Feby 28. 1891

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MAR 9 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

(No. 242.)

Treasury Department,

W.P.J. BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 7, 1891

Sir:

I have approved and referred to the proper accounting officers of the Department for examination and settlement a bill of The Statoinery division Treasury Department *for* Stateoinery

shipped you on the 27th of January 1891, *amounting to* $ 89.83

payable from the appropriation for Contingent Expenses of Your mint Fiscal year 1891.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Dosbyrhell Esq
Supt Mint U.S.,
Philadelphia Pa

Entered
[illegible]

[Ed. 9-25-'83—1,000.]

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Treasury Department.
Washington, D.C.
March 7. 1890

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Approved & referred
Bill of Stationery, Treas
Dept. — $89.88
"Contingent Expenses
of Mint. — Fiscal Year
1891

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 7, 1891.

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O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

You will please cause to be struck and forwarded to this Bureau three Indian peace medals in silver, bearing the vignette of the President.

You will render your account for the same in duplicate against the Department of the Interior, and forward the same to this Bureau, with the medals.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

Ordered from Coiner Mch 9.

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Treasury Department
Washington D.C.
March 7. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Have struck forward to Berdan Shoes Indian Peace Medal, bearing vignette of President.

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U. S. MINT

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

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Washington, D. C., MARCH 7, 1891.

O. C. BOSBYSHELL, ESQ.,

SUPERINTENDENT MINT U.S.,

PHILADELPHIA,

PENNSYLVANIA.

SIR:

I HAVE THIS DAY REQUESTED THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY TO CAUSE THE SUM OF $950,000 TO BE DEPOSITED IN THE TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES IN YOUR NAME, ON ACCOUNT OF PROFITS ON THE COINAGE OF SILVER BULLION, ACT OF JULY 14, 1890, AND THAT YOUR BULLION FUND BE INCREASED BY THE TRANSFER OF THE SAME AMOUNT.

RESPECTFULLY YOURS,

E. O. Leech

DIRECTOR OF THE MINT.

1134

Treasury Department.
Washington D.C.
March 7. 1891

E. O. Leech
Director,

Has requested the sum of $950.000 be deposited in Treasury, on acct of "Profit's on coinage of Silver Bullion".

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MAR 9 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 7, 1891., 189

The Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Referring to your bullion accounts for the quarter ended September 30, 1890, I find that you have not entered the payments for all the silver purchased under the act approved July 14, 1890, and paid for in Treasury notes, as the law requires.

You have entered the amount paid in Treasury notes as $6,552,265.11 instead of $6,553,487.93, as shown by your abstract sheets to have been the value of the silver purchased and paid for, according to those sheets, in Treasury notes, the corresponding difference being in the silver coin account where you have entered $1,697,680 as the payments in silver coin instead of $1,696,457.99

As it is unlawful to purchase any silver under the act of July 14, 1890, except by payment in Treasury notes, and as you were distinctly instructed that you were to pay for all such silver in Treasury notes, and that if you had paid in any other form of money that the payment was to be reimbursed from Treasury notes, it will be necessary to return your accounts for the quarter ended September 30, 1890 , and thequarter ended December 31, 1890, that the correct payments and balances may be stated, unless you

prefer to have the corrections made at this bureau.

I thought I had made this matter so plain that there could be no possibility of error, but it seems, notwithstanding the very explicit instructions given on this subject, your book-keeper has violated them and violated the law.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

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Treasury Dept.
Washington. D.C.
March 7. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director

Relative to a difference in mode of payment between abstract sheets & Bullion Accts for Silver purchased Act July 14. "90. — 1st & 2nd quarters. Fiscal year. "91.

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FORM NO. 230.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 9th 1891

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq.

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Fourth National Bank	19000	Ounces, at $ 0.9855
Fourth National Bank	13000	Ounces, at $ 0.9865
Zimmerman & Forshay	10000	Ounces, at $ 0.9864
Moore & Cahley	5000	Ounces, at $ 0.9870
Handy & Harman	23000	Ounces, at $ 0.9870
American Exchange		Ounces, at $
National Bank	108000	Ounces, at $ 0.9860
	20000	Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 1-2-'91—1,000.]

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FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 7th, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

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MAR 10 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, March 7th 1891

Mr O C Boobyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 78 bars of silver weighing 80355.50 oz
Kindly send returns for the labor, including check on a/c (tomorrow without fail) to the Hanover Natl Bank, N.Y. City

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1165

New York
March 7. 1891

Zimmermann & Forshay

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Moore & Schley,
Bankers,
80 Broadway.

New York, March 19 1891

Hon O. C. Bosbyshell
Director of the Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir:

We forward to day per United States Express Co, Silver bars as described in accompanying Statement, the total weight in ounces being one hundred thousand three hundred & ninety five 15/100 (100,395 15/100) ounces, 999 fine, or one hundred thousand two hundred & ninety four 76/100 (100,294 76/100) ounces 1000 fine, as required to meet our offers to the Treasury Dep^t of fifty thousand ounces at ninety eight & three tenths (98 3/10) and fifty thousand ounces at ninety eight & thirty five one hundredths (98 35/100). The surplus ounces, two hundred & ninety four 76/100 (294 76/100 oz) we presume will be adjusted in the usual

Moore & Schley,
Bankers,
80 Broadway,

New York, _____ 189_

manner, and remitted for with the other.

Very truly yours
Moore & Schley

1166

New York
March 7. 1891

Moore & Schley

Ship Silver

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MAR 9 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

H. A. MAIER. JOHN BERKELE.

MAIER & BERKELE,

Importers · and · Wholesale · Jewlers.

Tools and Materials. Engraving and Diamond Mounting.

93 Whitehall Street.

Atlanta, Ga March 7th 1891

Superintendent
United States Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir:

We return herewith memorandum papers for two lots of silver sent you — one of which was delivered through H Muhr's Sons of your City and the other was shipped direct to you from here. We do not understand why it is that the last lot brought less than the first, especially as it weighed considerably more than the first. Will you please explain to us the great difference. We enclose stamped envelope for reply

Truly yours &
Maier & Berkele
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Atlanta. Ga.
March 7. 1891

Marin & Berkele

Inquiring relative to apparent difference in value of deposits made Jan 14 & March 2.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 189 1.

O.C.Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I have to request that you will cause to be struck and forwarded to this Bureau, as early as practicable, two silver life-saving medals, placing the same in suitable morocco cases, and forwarding to this Bureau, with your account made out upon the inclosed blank form, receipted in duplicate.

Respectfully yours,

R E Preston

Acting Director of the Mint.

Inclosure.

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Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
March 19. '91

R. E. Preston.
Acting Director

Two Life Saving Medals
to be struck and
forwarded

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MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,

51 Wall Street.

New York, Mch 9th 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~

Phila

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 576 inst. of 96 Silver Bars

Nos. 84448 to 84515 inclusive 84575 to 84577 inclusive 68.708 31.533 ozs.

Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1167

New York
March 9. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

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MAR 10 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

F. J. Kingsbury, PRESIDENT.
C. P. Goss, TREASURER.
M. L. Sperry, SECRETARY.

DEPOTS.
423 Broome St., New York.
183 Lake St., Chicago.

Established A.D. 1802.

The Scovill Mfg. Company.

Waterbury, Conn. March 9, 1891

2929

Wm. H. Wood & Co. Boston.

O.C.Bosbyshell, Supt.,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir, --Yours of the 7th and also the medals, came duly to hand. There are two or three of the medals which seem to be imperfect, and to have a very rough surface on them. Our superintendent thinks it is caused by carelessness on your part in annealing. We do not succeed in getting a satisfactory finish on them. If you wish, I am perfectly willing to send some more blanks so that you may get some which will be satisfactory to you.

I return the medals this afternoon by express and with them I send three or four of the Gem safes which we are making for coopering up ten cent pieces. There is a big run on these and it may possibly affect the output of dimes from the Mint, though you will probably not feel the effect of it. If you have occasion to use these among any of your friends and children, please tell them to be sure that the screw is well up on the top before they attempt to put the cion in the slot.

Yours truly,

C. P. Goss
Treas

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Waterbury - Conn.
March 9. 1891

Scovill Manufg Co.

Relating to imperfect medals.

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MAR 10 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

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THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,

128 BROADWAY.

GEO. S. COE, President.
DUMONT CLARKE, Vice-President.
EDWARD BURNS, Cashier.

NEW YORK, March 9, 1891

Hon. Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

Inclosed, please find the following invoices of silver shipped you to-day on account of the acceptance by the Director of the Mint of our offer to him at 98.60, namely,

27291.50 Ozs.

26976.75 "

27169.25 "

26916.50 "

Very respectfully,

Cashier

(W)

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New York
March 9. 1891

American Ex. Nat. Bank

Ship Silver

Hon. Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Inclosing please find the following invoices of silver to Director of the Mint at Philadelphia on account of the acceptance by the Director of the Mint of our offer to pay at 98.60, namely,

21501.30	
26976.75	
27168.25	
26916.30	

Very respectfully,

Cashier.

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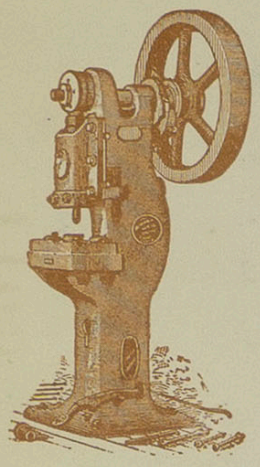
U.S. MINT, PHILA.



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PRESSES, DIES AND OTHER SHEET METAL TOOLS.

"Light Machinery improved, cheapened and manufactured on the Duplicate System."

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SECRETARY & TREASURER.
CHAS. D. REEVE,
SUPERINTENDENT.

Bridgeton, New Jersey, U.S.A., March 9th. 189 I

CABLE ADDRESS "FERRACUTE, BRIDGETON" TELEPHONE CALL, "No. 34"

Answering Yours of

Supt. U. S. Mint,
Phila.

Dear Sir:-

Answering further your telephonic message of today, we will say that we are very much mortified at keeping you waiting in this way, but we are making every effort to complete the feed so it will work properly. We could not, as you suggest, have attached a feed like yours, because of the wholly different construction of the press, with the shaft in a very different place.

We have already had it so we could put 12000 blanks through without trouble, but occasionally one would catch a little and be scarred. The writer has been working over the machine all the afternoon, and thinks that tomorrow will probably develope a remedy for the slight trouble which remains.

We assure you that we will telegraph you to come down and examine it the moment that it will run properly, which we hope will be tomorrow or next day.

Yours very truly,
Ferracute Machine Co.,
per Oberlin Smith.
Pres't.

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Bridgeton. N. J.
March 9. 1891

Ferracute Machine Co

Relative to feeder of new Press.

RECEIVED
MAR 10 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Mr. Kelly

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Mr. Kelly.

Dear Sir:-

Supt. U. S. Mint.

Philadelphia.

Dear Sir:-

Yours very truly,

Bridgeton Engine Co.

Enclosure.

Yours of the 4th inst. received and we will be pleased to come down and show you as much as we can of our Hydraulic Lever & Toggle Joint Punch Press.

We have always quoted for Hydraulic Lever Punch Press, but find that the Toggle Joint Punch is more popular and we are now prepared to quote on it.

We have always made it a point to be on the right side of the Mint, and we are very anxious to continue so.

The Hydraulic Lever Punch has been operated for a long time and we have never had a bolt or screw give out, the catch & little wedge are all that need attention.

We send you a photo of the machine, as it is now, and if you think it would be of any use to you, we will be pleased to send you a set of tracings.

Yours very truly,

Bridgeton Engine Co.

Enclosure.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman.

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

21 & NASSAU ST.

New York March 9th 1891

Mr O. C. Boshyshell Supt.

Dear Sir:

We are advised of the shipment to you by the Pima Lead Co of 21 Bars of Silver = = 21,847.00 ozs

Kindly apply same of our sale of March 4th of 250 m ozs @ 98 64 per oz.

Please omit proceeds cons of the American Exchange Nat'l Bk New York

& Oblige

Yours respectfully

Handy & Harman

Per [illegible]

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman.

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York March 9th 1891

Mr O. C. Boshyshell Supt.

Dear Sir:

We are advised of the shipment to you by the Pima Lead Co of 21 Bars of Silver = = 21.847.00 ozs

Kindly apply same of our sale of March 4th of 250m ozs @ 98 64/4 per oz.

Please remit proceeds care of the American Exchange Nat'l Bk New York

& Oblige

Your respectfully

Handy & Harman

Per [illegible]

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New York
March 9. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

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MAR 10 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York, ~~March~~ 9th 1891

Mr. O. G. Bosbyshell Supt.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today per Adams Express C. through the Am Ex. Nat Bank 119 Bars Silver = 128.118.00 ozs. as per Enclosed invoices which kindly apply to our sale today of 230.m ozs @ 98.70.

Please credit us pounds care of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours truly

Handy & Harman

1172

New York.
March. 9. 1891

Handy & Harman.

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 10 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

March 9 1891.

Messrs. Bigelow, Kennard & Co

511 Washington St. Boston, Mass.

The silver plate which you advise shipment of March 6 inst. reached the Mint this morning.

The Assayer informs me that a proper assay cannot be made except in breach of your order "not to disfigure" the plate.

Should you order a proper assay the charge imposed will be Two (2) Dollars.

Respectfully, Yours,

O. C. Ridgley

Superintendent.

You will please make the proper assay.

Your reply.

Bigelow, Kennard & Co.

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~~Mint of the U. S. at Philadelphia, Pa.,~~

~~SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.~~

Boston. Mass. ~~, 189~~

Bigelow. Kennard & Co. ~~Superintendent.~~

SUBJECT:

Request proper assay made.

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

The First National Bank.

No. 4273.

B MINTON, President
J. THOMPSON, V. Pres.
H. H. MILLER, Cashier.

Claysville, Pa., Mch 9 1891

Director of the U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir

One of our customers is anxious to secure two #3 gold pieces, and four #1 gold pieces. We very rarely see a one dollar, and never a three dollar piece, and he requested me to write you, and ascertain if you would send the desired coins, in exchange for currency. Your compliance with this request will greatly oblige,

Yours Resp'y,
H. H. Miller
Cashr.

1176

Claysville. Pa.
March 9. 1891

First National Bank

Wants two $3. & four $1
Gold pieces.

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Norristown Pa
March 9th 1891

To Superintedent of Mint
I have
a gold coin which I would
to know if this is of any ~~[illegible]~~
value I will give you the
discription of it
Obverse is just the same as a
ten dollar eagle. Liberty head
wearing a cap, faceing right
and 13 stars above liberty beneath
1805.
Reverse is and eagle displayed
wings with a united States

shield upon its breast and
a small bundle of arrows in
the left claw (containing about 8)
in the right claw an olive branch
in the eagles mouth is a scroll
E Pluribus Unum and a round
the head is 13 stars, above is
a curved line of clouds extending
from wing to wing around it
is United States of America
This is as near as I can discribe
it to you I inclose a stamp
for return mail

From
Mrs P. W. Yost
16 E Marshall St
Norristown Montg Co.
Pa

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

1177

Hornstown. Pa.
March 9. 1891

Mrs P. W. Gast

Asks value of Coin of
1805.

Recd
March 11. 1891

Form 2.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT U. S. LIFE-SAVING SERVICE,

Washington, D. C., March 9, 1891.

Supt. U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia,
Pa.,

Sir;

Herewith is transmitted Draft No. 421347, dated 9th instant, and drawn on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York City, by GEORGE A. BARTLETT, Disbursing Clerk, in your favor, for the sum of one hundred, eighteen and 85/100 Dollars ($118 85/100), in liquidation of your bills against the Life-Saving Service dated as follows:

February	— 1891	$96.10.
"	— "	22.75.

Respectfully yours,

A. D. Kimball
General Superintendent

(Ed. 6-27-'90—1,000.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 1891.

O.C.Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I inclose herewith draft No.421,347, drawn on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York by George A.Bartlett , Disbursing Clerk, in your favor, for the sum of $118.85, the same being in payment of your account for one gold and two silver life-saving medals, riders, cases, &c., forwarded by you to this Bureau on the 24th and 25th ultimo. I also return herewith medal-fund vouchers signed in duplicate.

Respectfully yours,

R O Preston

Acting Director of the Mint.

Inclosures.

1140

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
March 10. 1891

R. E. Preston
Acting Director.

Sends Draft no. 421.347.
on Asst Treasr N.Y. by
George A Bartlett - for
$118.85 — payment
for one gold & two Silver
Life Saving Medals &c.
Enclosure.

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(No. 107 *a*.)

Treasury Department,

F.P.J. OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 1891.

Sir:

Your requisition for funds to meet the expenses of your institution during the Month of March, 1891, *has been approved for the sum of* $34,500.00, *payable from the following appropriations made for the support of your* Mint. *during the current fiscal year, viz:*

Salaries,	1891,	$ 3500.
Wages of Workmen,	1891,	25000.
Contingent Expenses,	1891,	6000.
	188 ,	

Very respectfully,

R. E. Preston
Actg Director.

Q. O. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint as
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 10-18-'80—1,000.]

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Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
March. 10. 1891

R. E. Preston
Acting Director

Approved, requisition
to meet expenses of
March $34.500.00

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MAR 23 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 1891.

O. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

Sir:

I have today requested the Secretary of the Treasury to cause to be advanced you the sum of $12,000 from the appropriation for the "Coinage of Silver Bullion" act July 14 1890, to meet, in part, the expense of that coinage at your mint, during the current month,

Respectfully Yours,
R E Preston
Acting Director.

1142

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 10, 1891.

R. E. Preston.
Acting Director.

SUBJECT:

Has requested an advance to be made of $12.000 - for "Coinage of Silver Bullion July 12 '90

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, *1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Hollow Med. #58	2.00

TOTAL $2.00

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston
Acting *Director of the Mint.*

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1143

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 10, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891.

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of Feb., *1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 Lincoln Hel. #57	.20
TOTAL	$ .20

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston
Acting *Director of the Mint.*

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1144

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 10, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of February, 1891.

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 1891.

Sir:

The following blank forms for official use have been mailed you this day, viz:

1 Record of Miscellaneous Letters Received Form #306

1 Record of Letters Received Form No. 1307

Very respectfully,

R. E. Preston
Actg Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 1-22-'90—1,000.]

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Treasy Dept.
Washington, D.C.
March 10. 1891

R. E. Preston.
Actg Director

Mailed blank forms.
1 Record of Letters Received Form 307
1 " " Miscellaneous Letters Received. Form 306.

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

T.F.L. Washington, D. C., March 10 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

Sir;

Herewith returned for correction please find one of the payrolls of the General Department of your Mint for the month of January. It will be observed that the Overtime credited to N. A. Buckley, Bar Custodian, and F. Joyce Ross, assistant, are not carried into the column of wages due for the month and yet the amount is included in the footing of the column and carried into the abstract of disbursements. Please correct the roll and cause it to be returned without delay.

Respectfully Yours,

R. E. Preston
Acting Director

1160

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 10, 1891.

R. E. Preston

Director.

SUBJECT:

Sends for correction one Pay Roll of the Gen'l Department for January.
Overtime of R. S. Beekley and T. Boyce Gross.

RECEIVED
MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 1891.

O. C. Boolyshell, Esq.
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 9th instant I would state that it is desirable that all books for use in the Mint service be prepared by the Public Printer.

If you will ~~please~~ forward sample or copy of the books referred to with as little delay as possible the Bureau will have the requisitions made special.

Respectfully yours
R. E. Preston
Acting Director pro tem

1139

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 10, 1891.

R. E. Preston
Acting Director.

SUBJECT:

All Books must be prepared by Public Printer. Books referred to will be prepared with as little delay as possible.

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

(No. 107 b.)

Treasury Department,

F.P.L. OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 10, 1891.

Sir:

I have requested the Secretary of the Treasury to cause to be advanced you the sum of $ 1500.00, to meet the expenses of the refinery in connection with your institution during the present month, payable from the appropriation for "Parting and refining bullion."

Very respectfully,

R. E. Preston
Acting Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt Mint U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 10-18-'80—1,000.]

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Treasury Department
Washington, D.C.
March. 10. '91

R. E. Preston.
Acting Director.

Has requested an advance of $1600, for "Parting & Refining Bullion".

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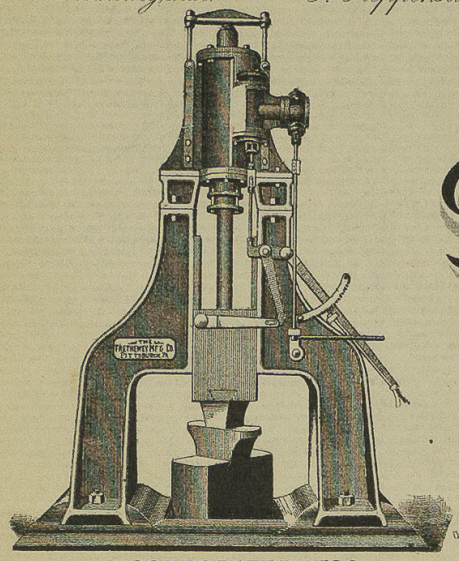
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Saml. Trethewey, Prest. S. Heppenstall, Vice Prest. F. Finker, Treas. J. B. Van Wagener, Secy. Uriah Finker, Asst Secy.



INCORPORATED 1890.
TELEPHONE 5517.

THE TRETHEWEY MANUFACTURING CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF

Steam Hammers.

47TH STREET & A.V.R.R.

SHEAR KNIVES, SHEAR GRINDING MACHINERY, ROLL TURNING TOOLS, JEWELER'S ROLLS, SPECIAL MACHINERY & ETC.

Pittsburgh, Pa. Mar 10 1891

Jas. E. MacFarlane Cust.
U. S. Mint.
Phila. Pa

Dear:-
Replying to your favor of 9th. under date of Mar. 5, 1891. we received Two. (2) Rolls; Shipped us from U. S. Mint. at. Phila. Pa.

Yours Very Truly,
TRETHEWEY MANUFACTURING CO.
Uriah Finker
Ass't Sec'y.

1175

Pittsburgh - Pa.
March 10. 1891

Snethewey Manf'g Co.

Ack'g receipt of two Rolls.

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MAR 11 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1891/MARCH CONT.

Moore & Schley,
Bankers,
80 Broadway.

New York, Oct 10 1891

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq. Supt.
U.S. Mint,
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir:

We have forwarded to you today per United States Express Co 48 Silver bars containing fifty thousand two hundred ninety two 40/100 (50292 40/100) ounces, 999 fine, or fifty thousand two hundred forty two 11/100 (50242 11/100) ounces, 1000 fine, as required, to fill our accepted offer to the Treasury Department of fifty thousand ounces @ 98 7/10 Cents. A detailed statement of the numbers and weight accompanies the shipment.

Very truly yours,
Moore & Schley

1178

New York
March 10. 1891

Moore & Schley

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, March 10th 1891

Mr O C Bosbyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philada Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 100 bars of Silver weighing 100138.75 oz
Kindly send returns for the above, including check on a/c (tomorrow without fail) to the Fourth Natl Bank, N. Y. City

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1179

New York
March 10. 1891

Gunnemann & Forshay

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York Dec 10 1891

Jas. C. Bostwick Supt.
Chile.

Dear Sir.

We have shipped you today per Adams Express Co. through the Am Exch. Dat 13th
41 Bars Silver = 42826.35 ozs
as per enclosed invoice which kindly apply to our sale of
230m ozs c 98 7/8

Please remit us proceeds ~~case~~ of Am Ex Dat 13th

Yours resp'y
J Handy & Harman

1180

New York
March 10. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 11 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

March, 1891.

Stones Crossing, Ind.

Kind Sir: — I understand that there are a few coins of certain dates in circulation that by mistake have an alloy of precious metal thus making them worth more than their face value.

On accompanying postal please state if it is true, and if true please give dates. Yours Respectfully,

Gilbert Surface.

1194

Stone Crossing Ind.
March 10. 1891

Gilbert Surface

Asks data of certain
Coin

RECEIVED
MAR 14 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 11, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Del. '79	2.00
TOTAL	$2.00

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston

Acting *Director of the Mint.*

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1147

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 11, 1891.

E. O. Leech
R. E. Preston Actg Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891.

RECEIVED
MAR 12 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 11, 189 1.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Until further notice, the purchasing rate of silver in lots of less than ten thousand ounces will be ninety-eight and one-half cents per ounce fine.

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston

Acting Director of the Mint.

1148

Treasury Department.
Washington, D.C.
March. 11. 1891

R. E. Preston.
Acting Director.

Until further notice
Sales of Silver in
Lots less than 10.000
98.1/2 cts.

RECEIVED
MAR 12 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(FORM 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 11th, 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Clark Dodge & Co	50000	Ounces, at $0.9895
Clark Dodge & Co	50000	Ounces, at $0.99
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $0.9895
Handy & Harman	125000	Ounces, at $0.99
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $0.9905
	275000	Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston
Acting *Director of the Mint.*

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Superintendent U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90 -1,000.)

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Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 11, 1891.

R. E. Preston

Acting Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
MAR 12 1891
U. S. B. A. I. PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 11, 1891.

Sir:

The following blank forms for official use have been mailed you this day, viz:

1 Record of Letters Sent Form No. 308

Very respectfully,

R. E. Preston
Actg *Director.*

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia

[Ed. 1-22-'90—1,000.]

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Treasy Dept.
Washington. D.C.
March 11. 1891

R. E. Preston.
Actg Director

Mailed blank forms -
1 Record of Letters Sent. Form 308.

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MAR 12 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

TREASURER'S OFFICE—FORM 1.
Cashier.—7-29-'90—1,000.

ADVICE OF REMITTANCE.

Treasury of the United States,

Washington, Mch. 11th, 1891.

Hon. O. C. Bosbyshell,
Supt. Mint U. S.
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

I forward this day by Express $32,322.40 (two bags) in uncurrent gold coin for re-coinage and credit. The face of the coin is $32,335. but the amount charged is what was allowed on the coin taken for, $32,322.40

I will thank you to forward to this Office your statement after re-coinage, that reimbursement may be made for the difference or loss on re-coinage

T.O. 19268.

Respectfully yours,

J. N. Huston
Treasurer U. S.

A schedule of the bags as they are marked and inclosed in the two larger bags, herewith.

1157

Treasury U. S.
Washington, Mar. 11 "91

J. N. Huston,
Treas'r U. S.

Forwards by Express
$32,322.40.—
uncurrent gold
coin.

RECEIVED
MAR 12 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

32322

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street,
New York, March 11 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

There will be further shipments to you for our account from Omaha of 100000 ounces of silver.

Please account to us for same as usual, and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1181

New York
March 11. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 12 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

E. CRITTENDEN,
PROPRIETOR.

THE PRINCESS ANNE:
Virginia Beach, Va.

March 11- 91

The United States Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Gentlemen

Please find enclosed one dime and two two-(2) cents postage stamps for admin of 1891

Yours Truly
Geo H Miller Jr

1182

Virginia Beach. Va.
March 11. 1891

Geo. H. Moller. Jr.

Encloses one dime
for dime of 1891

RECEIVED
MAR 12 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York, March 11 1891

Am. O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today. per Adams Express Co. through the Am. Exchange Nat Bk
10 Bars Silver : 9,854.90 ozs
% sale 250 ozs @ 98.70.
69 Bars Silver : 72,725.95 ozs
% sale 125 ozs @ 99.
as per invoices enclosed.
Please remit us proceeds care of Am Exchange Nat Bank

Yours resp.
Handy & Harman

1183

New York
March. 11. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 12 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Buffalo, N.Y.
March 11, '91.

To the Director of the Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:

I would like to know, just for personal information, if the Government allows imperfect coins to slip through the fingers of the makers, and become circulated through the land? If so, may I ask if the enclosed "One Cent" is a genuine or counterfeit piece of money?

It came into my money-drawer and rather than pass it out again, I write to you for information regarding it, and by giving same you will greatly oblige.

Yours Respectfully
Lona M. Dickson,
26 Days Park, Buffalo, N.Y.

1186

Buffalo. N. Y.
March 11. 1891

Lena M. Dickson

Asks if enclosed 1¢ is
genuine.

RECEIVED
MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 12, 1891.

Sir:

The following blank forms for official use have been mailed you this day, viz:

6 Registers of Deposit

3/13/91 - Receive 2 - Book

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leach

Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia, Pa

[Ed. 1-22-'90—1,000.]

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Treasury Department.
Washington, D. C.
March 12. '91.

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Blank forms mailed.
6 Registers of Deposits

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MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

F.P.Y. Washington, D. C., March 12, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

Sir:

Referring to your letter of yesterday you are informed that your requisitions were approved on the day of their receipt for amounts as rendered.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leach

Director.

1159

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 12, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

SUBJECT:

Approved requisitions on day of their receipt.

RECEIVED
MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

HENRY COWAN,
Wholesale Jeweler and Importer,
Manufacturer of Watchmakers' and Jewelers' Supplies, Etc.
409 WASHINGTON STREET.

Boston, ... 189

is correct as the weight about agree with the enclosed, you will oblige me very much if you will look into this matter and have my gold returned or assayed with the next batch or send me money to which I am entitled the gold I saw put in the box and know it was shipped, now as the money returned just agreed with my silver you will readily see there can be no mistake on my part, perhaps some of the help will find somewhere the box of gold with rubber band, marked gold put away, it might have fallen out of the silver and they not know to whom it belongs as it is not very pleasant to use this you will oblige me by writing return mail

Resp Henry Cowan

1184

Boston. Mass.
March 12. 1891

Henry Cowan

Relative to discrepancy in returns for deposit of March 9th.

RECEIVED
MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

HENRY COWAN,

Wholesale Jeweler and Importer,

Manufacturer of Watchmakers' and Jewelers' Supplies, Etc.

409 WASHINGTON STREET.

Boston, May 1 189

You see by this memo. there is no return for gold only silver

Supt of U.S. Mint

Dear Sir:-

Sometime ago you remember there was quite a difference in a loss which after writing about 3 or 4 times, neither you or myself could get much satisfaction, and as this last batch is a very plain one to see that something is not right or else the Mint owes me considerable.

The weight as memorandum is correct but in the box of silver was a pasteboard box about 5 x 4 in. with a rubber band around containing gold the package was valued $150 the gold alone weighed 80 to 90 dwt. which was certainly worth $45 – the silver

H. T. RUSSELL, PRES'T. E. F. RUSSELL, TREAS.

UNION DROP FORGE CO.

IRON AND STEEL DROP FORGINGS, RUSSELL OIL BURNERS, FORGES AND CRUCIBLE FURNACES.

64 to 70 OHIO STREET,

CHICAGO, Mch 12 1891

W H Cobb Acting Supt
United States Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

Oct 16 1890 you wrote us in relation to our Crucible furnace that Mr Mitchell placed with you on trial. Mr Mitchell has left and as you do not wish to keep it, please return it to us in Chicago. If not too much trouble please take the brick out and throw them away, sending back to us the iron forts.

Yours
Union Drop Forge Co
E F Russell
Pres

Custodians Office
March 13/91
There is nothing on file in this office pertaining to Crucible oil furnace
James E MacLean
Custodian

March ~~13~~ 14/91 – Shipped by Pa. R.R. per George Alcorn Freemalin. to Chicago Ill. as per directions enclosed "
"Union Drop Forge Co
64. to 70. Ohio St Ill
James E MacLean
Custodian

RECEIVED
MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

RECEIVED
MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Chicago. Ill.
March. 12. 1891

Union Drop Forge Co

Request. Send the furnace
mentioned to them in Chicago.

1185

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York, Dec. 12 1891

Mr. O. C. Bostwick, Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today per Adams Express C. through the Am Ex Nat. Bank
12 Bars Silver: 10,402.65 ozs.
as per enclosed invoice which kindly apply to our sale 11 of 125m ozs @ 99¼.

Please write us pounds care of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours resp.
Handy & Harman

1187

New York
March 12. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

BRAYTON IVES, President.
_____ Vice President.

H. A. SMITH, Cashier.
THOS. J. BRENNAN, Asst Cashier.

The Western National Bank
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

New York Mch 12 1890

C. C. Boshyshell Esq
Supt. U. S. Mint
Philad.

Dear Sir

May I ask if you will kindly inform me if in your mem. dated Mch 9/91 Sil. bullion purch'd Jim Mon & Schley, St Louis bars #612 gl.099, #1381 1149.50, #1387 1134.40 marked 999 fine after melting, were correctly so marked or should be 998, as in the total fineness there appears to be a difference, which that would correct.

Yours truly

Chas O. Andrews
for West. Nat. Bank

1188

New York
March 12. 1891

Western National Bank

Relative to certain Silver bars purchased by Moore & Schley. & marking of same.

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MAR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Mainland Pa.
Mar 12-91

Gents

Excuse me for addre-
-ssing you in regards to a
few things which I would
ask you to answer me by
return mail and that is
this I have some Mutilated
or plugged coins which I got
in purchasing some good in
7 years time and now I
would like you to answer
what you will allow me
for them or if you will rec-
-oin them for me and return
them or give me them wal
what the real worth of it is
as I want them out of my

possession as I do not want any counterfeit Mutilated or ~~plugged~~ plugged Money and so no one else shall have hold of them for circulation so please let me hear from you by return Mail how about the Matter

I Remain Yours

A. H. L. Hester

Mainland
Montg. Co. Pa.

N.B.
What is the Value of the Five Cents Pieces of 1883 without cents on them are they on premium or not
also send me list of Rare coins on Premium

1196

Mauland. Pa.
March 12. 1891

A. H. L. Mester

Asks what is allowed for Mutilated Coin. also value of 5¢ pieces of 1883, &c.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

HENRY COWAN,

Wholesale Jeweler and Importer,

Manufacturer of Watchmakers' and Jewelers' Supplies, Etc.

409 WASHINGTON STREET.

$30.61

Boston, Mar 12 1891

Mr. O. C. Boshyshell

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your of the 13th accept my thanks for the attention you have given the matter concerning me, but at the same time I must say that instead of being entitled to $19.20 it certainly should be $40 or $45. as the gold was certainly 10K all through and better, but even at this 10Kt rate it would come that amount or $40 or $45 but at the allowance given me it is about 22¢ a dwt. or between 4 & 5 Kt. average, you can readily see that there is still some greater mistake, trusting if possible to have the matter righted I remain

Yours Resp

Henry Cowan

1200

Boston. Mass
March 12. 1891

Henry Cowan

Complains of insufficient returns for Gold deposit.

7,087

7,038

(FORM 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 13th, 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Nesslage Colgate & Co	100000	Ounces, at $ 0.9948
Fourth National Bank	28000	Ounces, at $ 0.9950
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $ 0.9945
Handy & Harman	50000	Ounces, at $ 0.9950
Zimmermann & Forshay	50000	Ounces, at $ 0.9939
Zimmermann & Forshay	50000	Ounces, at $ 0.9949
	303000	

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90 -1,000.)

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Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 13, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 13, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, 1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:

		$
2 S.S. Dollars Lil.	#60	2.00
2 Quarter " "	#61	.50
TOTAL		$2.50

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 13, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891.

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MAR 14 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

ROBERT B. HOLDEN. JOHN KNOX.
HOLDEN & KNOX,
MANUFACTURERS OF SOLID GOLD RINGS,
NO. 14 PAGE STREET.

Providence, R.I., March 13th 1891.

Dear Sir:—

Please assay for us the enclosed piece of gold, and, if possible, return your report so we can receive it by Monday morning, the 16th inst.

Enclosed find our check for two dollars.

Very truly yours
Holden & Knox.

Director, U.S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

1189

Providence. R.I
March 13, 1891

Holden + Knox.

Request enclosed price of Gold assayed. Also enclose Check $2.

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MAR 14 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York Oct. 13th 1891

Jas. O. Bosbyshell. Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We are advised of shipt. from Penn Lead Co's Works of 15. Bars : 15.290.50 ozs Assay invoice enclosed which kindly apply as our sale Oct. 11th of 125m @ 99¼.

Check herewith no proceeds can of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours respy
Henry Harman

The St. Louis So R. Co. will ship you direct from St. Louis
25m ozs to cover sale @ 98.95
25m " " " " sales sale @ 99
25m " " " " sale @ 99.05

1190

New York
March 13. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

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MAR 14 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

R. L. Edwards Prest. James B. Colgate, Vice Prest. B. C. Duer, Cashier.

CAPITAL $ 1,200,000. SURPLUS $ 300,000.

THE BANK OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

ORGANIZED 1836.

New York, Mch 13 1891

Supt of the Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

Herewith we enclose invoice Silver bars 50756 99 oz. a/c of Nesslage Colgate & Co for which please make returns by draft on U.S. Assay Office N.Y. under cover to this Bank

Yours truly

R L Edwards
Prest

1192

New York
March 13. 1891

Bank of State of N. Y.

Ship Silver

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MAR 14 1891
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PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

Handy & Harman,

24 NASSAU ST.

New York Oct 13th 1891

Saw. D. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Chile.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today for Acheno Express Co. through the Am Ex. Nat. Bank
2. Bars Silver : 1.696.50 ozs.
% sale 11th of 125th c 99.
10. Bars Silver : 10.315.75 ozs.
% sale 13th of 50th c 99 1/2.
as per enclosed invoice

Please remit no proceeds can of Am Ex. Nat Bank

Yours respy
Handy & Harman

1191

New York
March 13, 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 14 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Harrisburg. Pa. March 18th 1891.

Col. O. C. Bosbyshell.

Dear Sir:

I should like to get one or two hundred "old cents" large coppers, and desire to know if you could furnish them, or could inform me of any dealer in "old" or rare coins from whom I could get them? I am not particular as to the dates, so that they are what I have described. I would not be willing to pay but a small premium for them.

Yours respectfully.

M. H. Winebrener.

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Harrisburg. Pa.
March 13. 1891

M. H. Wunebrenner

Wants one or two hundred
old Copper Cents.

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MAR 14 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Philadelphia.
874 North 6th Street.
March 13th 1891

Col Bosbyshell

Dear Sir

A patient of mine is one of your employees in the U. S. Mint. Miss Kervin is under treatment for a serious & distressing disorder of her nervous system, from which she is making a very satisfactory recovery, much of which rapid improvement, is due to your kindness in giving her a short release from her daily labor.

Having reason to fear that an immediate return to work would hinder continued improvement, & perhaps cause a relapse, I thought

it my duty to submit this statement of the case to your kind consideration.

If along with another week for rest & recuperation my patient could have the assurance that her absence would not cost her the loss of her situation I am sure she would have abundant reason to forever be grateful for your kindness.

Respectfully

W. Osler M. D.

1195

Phila.
March 13. 1891

W. Osler. M.D.

Relative to continued absence of Miss Kerwin.

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MAR 14 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Gloucester, Mass., March 13 1891

To Mr Cl. C. Bosbyshell
Philadelphia
Pa.

A. Manton Pattillo,
Carpets and Upholstery,
7 CENTRE STREET.

Dear Sir,

Will you kindly advise me of the approximate weight of a cubic ft. of gold.

Obliged yourself

A. Manton Pattillo

$195\frac{8248}{100}$
troy pounds

1198

Gloucester. Mass.
March. 13. 1891

A. Manton Pattillo.

Asks approximate weight of cubic ft of Gold.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 14, 1891., 189

The Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 11th inst., in regard to the storage of silver dollars, I would say that my intention was in the latter part of May to send Mr. Butler and have him store all the silver dollars in your mint in the large vault "C", now under the seal of himself and Major Meline. I don't want to make two jobs of this, on account of the expense of travelling as well as the annoyance to your force, unless it is absolutely necessary.

In you find that you have no storage capacity for this and next months coinage, without having to use vaults which are not dry, please write me and I will send Mr. Butler over and have all your silver dollars transferred to vault "C", but I would suggest that it would possibly be better to wait a little later so that there will be less to weigh at the annual settlement.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

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Treasury Department.
Washington, D.C.
March 14. "91

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Reply to Letter of 11. —
in regard to the
storage of Silver
dollars.

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MAR 16 1891
MINT, PHILA.

Form No. 111.

Treasury Department,

F.P.J., OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 14, 1891.

Sir:

I have examined and referred to the proper accounting officers of the Department for examination and settlement, your Ordinary Refining "Coinage of Silver Bullion" accounts for the month ending February 28, 1891, with my approval.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Superintendent U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

Gd. 1-28-'87—1,000.]

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Treasury Department
Washington, D.C.
March 14. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director

Approved, Ordinary
Refinery, Coinage
of Silver Bullion
Accounts, Feby
28 '91.

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., ~~March 14, 1891.~~, 189 .

The Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of yesterday, relative to land acquired by the United States in the state of Pennsylvania, and enclosing a copy of a general law on the subject, I would say that I think it would be best to have the bill prepared by you and introduced by Mr. Leeds, passed.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

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Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
March. 14. '91

E. O Leech.
Director.

Relative to Land acquired by the United States in the State of Pennsylvania - It would be best to have the Bill prepared & introduced by Mr Reed

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U.S. MINT, PHILA.

In your reply, please quote above initials.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER U. S.,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

March 14,1891.

Hon. O. C. Bosbyshell,
Superintendent Mint U.S.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

I beg to hand you herewith transfer order No.19260, dated the 10th instant, in your favor for $950,000 in standard silver dollars; also duplicate certificate of deposit No.2349, dated the 12th instant, in your favor for a like amount on account of "Profits on coinage of silver bullion, Act of July 14, 1890."

Please date and sign the indorsement on the transfer order and return the same to this office with your next transcript of the Bullion Fund Account as a voucher for the credit given therein.

Respectfully yours,

J. N. Huston

Treasurer U.S.

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Treasurer U. S.
Treasury Department
Washington, D. C.
March 14. '91.

J. N. Huston,
Treasr U. S.

Sends T. O. no. 19260
$950,000. - on account
"Profits on Coinage
of Silver Bullion"
"Act. July 14. '90.

MAR 16 1891

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

T.F.M. Washington, D. C., March 14, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

Sir:

The following amounts have been appropriated for the support of your mint during the fiscal year ending June 30th 1892:

Salaries:	$41,550.00
Wages of Workmen,	293,000.00
Contingent Expenses,	80,000.00

Respectfully Yours,

E. O. Leech

Director

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 14, 1891.

E. O. Leech.

Director.

SUBJECT:

Amounts appropriated for support of Mint. Fiscal year. 1892.

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No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., ~~March 14, 1891.~~, 189 .

The Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 13th inst., relative to the bullion accounts, I would say that you are authorized to make an adjustment entry in your ledger accounts, but the bullion accounts will be changed as indicated by me personally when in Philadelphia, that is, you will erase the entries as to the payments in silver dollars and Treasury notes, and insert the proper entries, and change the balances in the same manner.

You need not change any of the reports or statements sent to this bureau, aside from the bullion accounts.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

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Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
March 14. "91

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Reply to Letter of 13" –
relative to the Bullion
Accounts;
"will be changed as
indicated by me per-
sonally when I am
Philadelphia."

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 14, 1891.

Sir:

The following blank forms for official use have been mailed you this day, viz:

1000 Memorandums of Gold Bullion Deposited
Form No 42 e

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia, Pa

[Ed. 1-22-'90—1,000.]

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Treasury Department
Washington, D. C
March 14 "91

E. O. Leech
Director

Blank forms mailed.

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MAR 16 1891

1923 CHESTNUT STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.

March 14, 1891.

Col. Bosbyshell,
My Dear Sir:
If you can do so, I should be very glad to have you grant a further two weeks leave of absence to Lawrence J. Cary. He is my patient, and is honestly <u>sick</u>. He is now in our Hospital 15th St. above Race, under careful medical treatment for his rheumatism.

He is improving nicely and in about two weeks will be quite well. I consider him a worthy subject of your clemency and consideration.

Phila.
March 14. 1891

Very Truly Yours
J. C. Guernsey M.D.

Dr. J. C. Guernsey.

Asks extended leave of absence for Lawrence J. Carey.

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MAR 16 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

WHITALL, TATUM & CO.
MANUFACTURERS OF
GLASSWARE & DRUGGISTS SUNDRIES,
Nos 410—416 RACE ST.
P. O. BOX: 1633.

All orders are accepted subject to delays, by reason of strikes, the action of the elements, or other causes beyond our control.

Philadelphia, 3/14/91.

Mint of the United States,

Philadelphia.

Respected Friends:

We are in receipt of your order No. 1163 for 6 doz. YOUR 8 oz. Assay Bottles, Flint, with hand made Stoppers. We are obliged for your order, which shall have our very best attention.

mWe will take particular pains in the anmealing and distribution of the Glass, and will make the mouths somewhat larger than those in the last lot.

Respectfully Whitall, Tatum & Co.

1202

Phila.
March 14. 1891

Whitall, Tatum & Co

Ack'g receipt of order
No. 1163. for Assay Bottles.

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PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York, Dec. 14th 1891

Jas. C. Bostwick Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today for Adams Express Co. through the Am Ex Nat. Bank
23 Bars Silver : 25.375.90 ozs
to cover sale 13th @ 99 45
& 23 Bars Silver : 25.336.50 ozs
to sale 13th @ 99 50
as per enclosed invoices.
Please remit proceeds care of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours respy
Handy & Harman

1203

New York
March 14. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

MAR 16 1891

Washington C.H. Mar 14th 1891

Mr. Boblyspeel
Superintendent of Mint
Phil. Pa

Dear Sir - Will you please inform me if convenient and proper, if any charge is made for coining gold into coin, also what quantity of pure gold and alloy enters into a dollar - also the quantity of silver and alloy if any in the silver dollar

Respectfully
J. E. Brown
Washington C.H.
(North St. bet Temple & Paint -) Ohio

1205

Washington, C.H. Ohio
March 14. 1891

J. E. Brown

Asks if any charge is made for coining Gold into Coin. &c.

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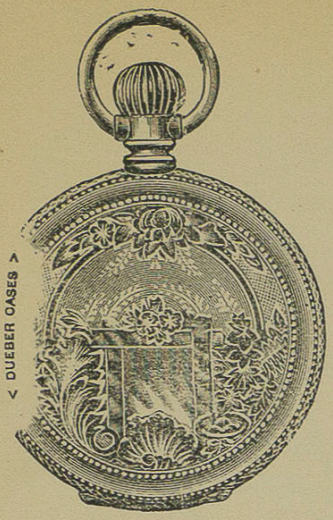


Wholesale Agent for

Dueber Cases & Hawpden Movements.

L. MANSON.

JOBBER IN

WATCHES, JEWELRY & SILVERWARE,

Spectacles, Watch Material &c.

79 ORANGE ST.

Syracuse, N. Y., Mch 14 1891.

D. C. Rubychell, Supt.,
Mint of U. S., Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir:- Replying to yours of Mch 13, will say Mr. Manson is now out of town & as soon as he returns your communication will receive his attention -

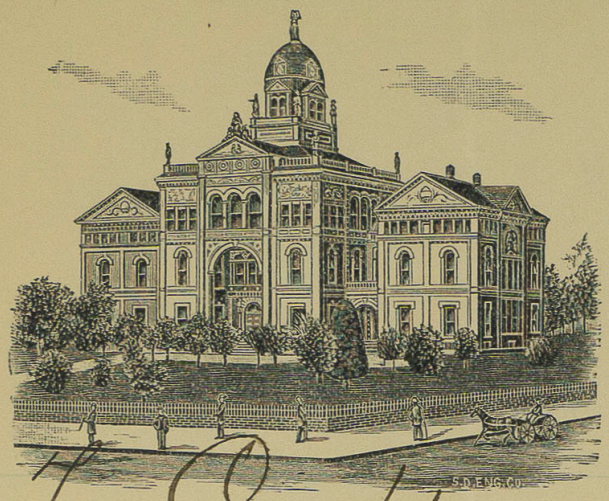
Yours very Resp.,
L. Manson

1210

Syracuse. N.Y.
March 14. 1891

L. Manson

Says. Mr Manson
is out of town.



OFFICE OF THE

County Assessor,

SAN DIEGO COUNTY

C. H. SHEPARD, ASSESSOR.

San Diego, Cal. March 14 1891

To Comptroller of Mint

Dear Sir

Would you kindly inform me what within the meaning of the National Banking Act and the laws of the United States constitute "Legal Tender"? Would it include gold or are greenbacks the only "legal tender"? By answering the above you will greatly oblige

Yours very truly

C H Shepard

Assessor

Per C

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San Diego - Cal.
March 14. 1891

C. H. Shepard

Relative to "Legal Tender"

RECEIVED
MAR 21 1891
U. S. Secret Serv.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania,

March..14th.....1891.

Col. O. C. Bosbyshell,
Superintendent of the Mint,
of the United States,
at Philadelphia, Penn.

Dear Sir:-

We, Geo. G. Merrick, Geo. F. Batchelder, Harley B. Morse and Robert J. Coleman, citizens of the State of Colorado, United States of America, tender to you and to the proper officers in charge of the United States Mint at Philadelphia a bar or ingot of Silver Bullion marked and identified as follows: From Boston and Colorado S. M. Co.--Fine--Fine, weighing five hundred fourteen and eight-tenths ounces, Troy, nine hundred and ninety-nine fine, and demand as of right under the Constitution and Laws of the United States that the said Silver Bullion be received and coined into silver dollars of the weight of four hundred and twelve and one-half grains Troy standard silver, for the use and benefit of the depositors, and without unnecessary delay.

Respectfully

Geo. G. Merrick

For himself and associates

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Phila.
March 14. 1891

Geo. G. Merrick & Associates

Relative to coinage of bar or ingot of Silver Bullion for benefit of depositors

RECEIVED
MAR 14 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

CREW LEVICK CO.
113 ARCH ST. PHILADELPHIA. 194 FRONT STREET, NEW YORK.
REFINERY, SOUTH CHESTER, PA.
• SUCCESSORS TO •
CREW, LEVICK & CO.
AETNA OIL CO.
SEABOARD OIL WORKS.
PENNSYLVANIA OIL CO.

Cable address: "Crew Philadelphia."

LEWIS J. LEVICK, President.
FRED'K W. HAMMETT, Treasurer.

Philadelphia, March 14th, 1891.

Mr. Thompson,

U.S. Mint, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find the certificate of authority which you requested me to execute. Will you kindly send this to Washington at once, as we have just had returned from there a voucher, with no explanation given for its return, but I presume for want of the enclosed certificate; consequently, it is important for us that you send it down there at once.

As I understand it, you will file a copy of this at the Mint, and send this down to Washington. Am I correct ? If not, advise me at once so that I may forward another one down there.

Yours truly,

Crew Levick Co.

Per D. E. M.

Dictated by Mr. Hammett.

1199

Phila.
March 14. 1891

Crew Levick & Co.

Enclose certificate of Authority as requested.

MAR 16 1891

OFFICE AND FACTORY OF
JOHN FRICK,
Manufacturing Jeweler,
No. 6 LIBERTY PLACE,
(Opposite 21 Maiden Lane,)
N. Y. CITY.

Replying to your favor of the ..... *New York,* March 16th, *189* 1.

Mr Treasurer of the United States,

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

Dear Sir:---

Will you please inform me, if I can obtain proof gold dollars, from the Mint, on paying $1.25 each; which I believe to be the price. Also whether I must apply to Washington, or to Philadelphia.

Yours respectfully,

John Frick

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RECEIVED,
MAR 17 1891
A. M.
TREASURER, U.S.

F 61

Frick. John
New York. N.Y.
Mch 16/91

Asks if can obtain proof gold dollar from Mint.

Treasury of the U.S.,
March 17,1891.

Respectfully referred to the Superintendent U.S. Mint, Philadelphia, Pa., and writer so advised.

J N Huston
Treasurer U.S.

Card sent

Mint Phila

FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 16th 1891

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Fourth National Bank	25500	Ounces, at $	0.9930
Fourth National Bank	23500	Ounces, at $	0.9935
Fourth National Bank	19000	Ounces, at $	0.9940
Moore & Schley	5000	Ounces, at $	0.9945
Moore & Schley	10000	Ounces, at $	0.9948
American Exchg Natl Bank	28000	Ounces, at $	0.9935
American Exchg Natl Bank	27000	Ounces, at $	0.9940
American Exchg Natl Bank	29000	Ounces, at $	0.9950
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $	0.9945
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $	0.9949
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $	0.9950
	377000	Ounces, at $	

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 1-2-'91—1,000.]

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FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 16, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

MAR 17 1891

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

P

March 16, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Until further notice, the purchasing rate of silver at your mint in lots of less than 10,000 ounces, will be ninety-nine cents per ounce fine.

Respectfully, yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

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Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
March. 16. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Purchasing rate of
silver. 99 cts fine

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

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Washington, D. C., March 16, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I return herewith for correction statement of silver delivered by Handy & Harman on their sale of 65,000 ounces January 9,1891, at $1.051 per ounce fine, the value of the same being given as $68,713.49, when it should be $68,818.59.

Please make correction, and return without delay.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

Inclosure.

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Treasury Department
Washington D.C.
16. March. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Returns for correction
Statement of Silver
delivered by Handy &
Harman on vals of
55.000 Jan 9. 1891.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 16, 1891.

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States at* Philadelphia, *in* March, 1891.

Denomination Dimes & Dollars.

No. of Delivery.	Weight.		Fineness.		
	Grains.	Dec.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.
57	38	57		900.9	
	37	78			
Average	38	17			
58	413	20		9002	
	412	85		9004	
59	411	73		8998	
	412	03		8996	
Average	412	45		900	

Cabell Whitehead

Assayer.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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No. 170.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 16, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

I transmit herewith the Assayer's report upon assay coins taken from the first and two subsequent deliveries in each week at your Mint during the Month of March, 1891, *and forwarded for test as prescribed by the Regulations.*

The coins were found to be within the legal limits of tolerance.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 2-2-'88—500.]

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 16, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Sends Assayer's Report upon Assay Coins. March. 1891.

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No. of Inclosures,

73165

THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,

128 BROADWAY,

GEO. S. COE, President.
DUMONT CLARKE, Vice-President.
EDWARD BURNS, Cashier.

NEW YORK, March 16, 1891

Hon. Superintendent United States Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

We send you herewith, the following invoices of silver shipped you to-day in accordance with the acceptance by the Director of the Mint of our offers to him at the prices set opposite each Lot, namely, ;

ounces		
27790.25	at	.9935
27561.25	"	.9940
28609.	"	.9950

Very respectfully,

(W) Cashier

1204

New York
March 16. 1891

American Ex. Nat. Bank

Ship Silver

R. L. Edwards, Prest. James B. Colgate, Vice Prest. B. C. Dwer, Cashier.

CAPITAL $ 1,200,000. SURPLUS $ 300,000.

THE BANK OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

ORGANIZED 1836.

New York, Mch 16 1891

Supt of the Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

Herewith we enclose invoice Silver bars 50 151 30/100 oz c/o Hastings Colgate & Co for which please make return by draft on U.S. Assay Office N.Y. under cover to this Bank.

Yours truly
R L Edwards
Prest

1206

New York
March 16. 1891

Bank of State of N. Y.

Shipe Silver

REGISTERED
MAR 17 1891

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street.
New York, March 16th 1881

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Philada

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 12th inst. of 23 Silver Bars Nos 85822 to 85844 inclusive 35396 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1207

New York
March 16. 1891

Clark. Dodge & Co.

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 17 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street.
New York March 16th 1887

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 11th inst. of 34 Silver Bars Nos 85787 to 85820 inclusive 35337.60 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1208

New York
March 16. 1891

Clark. Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street.
New York, March 16 1889

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 13th inst. of 29 Silver Bars Nos 8587 to 8588 inclusive 30467 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

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New York
March 16. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co.

Ship Silver

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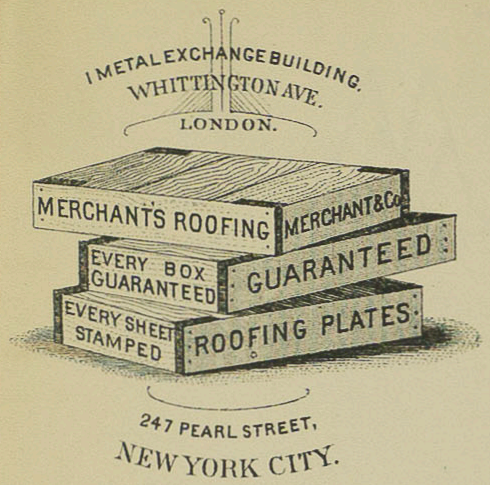
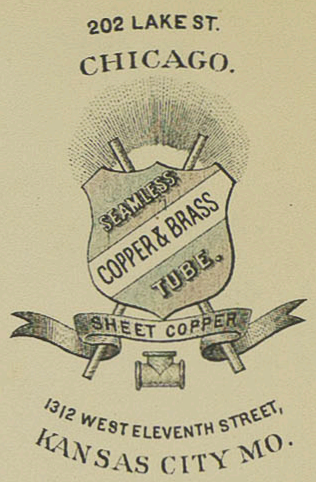
U.S. MINT, PHILA.



Merchant & Co.,

Chicago. New York. Kansas City. London.

Philadelphia, Mch. 16th, 1891.



Mint of the United States,

Philadelphia.

Gentlemen :-

We have your order #1154, and will give same the best attention at our command.

We thank you very kindly for your favor, and remain

Very truly yours,

Merchant & Co

Cohen

1211

Phila.
March 16. 1891

Merchant & Co

Ack'g receipt of order
No. 1154.

MAR 17 1891

LEGISLATURE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

FILE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 435 Session of 1891.

MR. LEEDS, IN PLACE, MARCH 11, 1891.

MR. RITER, JUDICIARY, GENERAL, MARCH 11, 1891.

AN ACT

Granting the consent of the State of Pennsylvania to the acquisition by the United States of certain lands for the purpose of the erection of a government building at the city of Philadelphia and ceding jurisdiction over the same

SECTION 1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same* That the consent of the State of Pennsylvania is hereby given to the acquisition by the United States by purchase condemnation or otherwise in conformity with the laws of this State of one or more pieces of land in the city of Philadelphia on which land said United States may erect a government building for the use and accommodation of the United States Mint and the said United States shall have hold occupy and own the said land when thus acquired and exercise exclusive jurisdiction and control over the same and every part thereof during the time the said United States shall be or remain the owner thereof for all purposes except the administration of the criminal laws of the said State of Pennsylvania and the service of civil process therein

SECTION 2 The jurisdiction hereby ceded shall not vest until United States shall have acquired the title to the said land by purchase condem-

3 nation or otherwise in conformity with the laws of this State and so long
4 as said land shall remain the property of the United States when acquired
5 as aforesaid and no longer the same shall be and continue exonerated from
6 all taxes assessments and other charges which may be levied or imposed
7 under the authority of the State

1 SECTION 3 It is further enacted that any malicious wilful reckless or
2 voluntary injury to or mutilation of the grounds buildings or appurtenances
3 shall subject the offender or offenders to a fine of not less than twenty
4 dollars to which may be added for an aggravated offense imprisonment not
5 exceeding six months in the county jail or workhouse to be prosecuted be-
6 fore any court of competent jurisdiction

1 SECTION 4 This act shall take effect immediately

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6 with the laws of this State of one or more pieces of land in the city of
7 Philadelphia on which land said United States may erect a government
8 building for the use and accommodation of the United States Mint and the
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House of Representatives.

WM. R. LEEDS,
10th District,
PHILADELPHIA.

Harrisburg, Pa., 3/16 1891

Col O. S. Rosbyshal
U. S. Mint
Dear Sir

In accordance with your dispatch I offered a resolution to night to pass your enclosed bill at 8.45 to night which I did without opposition and had it made a Special order for Third reading and final passage tomorrow Tuesday at 11. O clock, I will have it taken to the Senate and pass it this week finally and after the Governor signs it I will have a certified copy mailed to you.

Truly Yours
Wm R Leeds

1212

Harrisburg. Pa.
March 16. 1891

Wm R. Leeds.

Relative to passage of Bill. to enable Govt. U.S. to acquire title to real estate in Phila.

Recd
March 17. 1891

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York Dec. 16th 1891

Jas. O. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir.

We have shipped you today per Adams Express Co. through the Am Ex Nat. Bank
24 Bars Silver . 25.060.60 ozs.
as per enclosed invoice. which please apply to cover sale of 25m ozs @ 99 49. sale Dec 16th

Please remit proceeds to our care of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours respy
Handy & Harman

1213

New York
March 16. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

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PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York, March 16th 1891

Am. Vy. Bobbyshell Supt.
Phila

Dear Sir

We are advised of shipment from Am Lead Co's Works of

15. Bars Silver = 15.171.25 ozs

as per enclosed invoice. which, kindly apply % our sales Drafts 13. of 50m @ 99.50

Check must found our of Am. Ex Nat. Bank, & oblige

Yours respy
Handy & Harman

1214

New York
March 16. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

MAR 17 1891

Scranton, Penna. Mar. 16th, 1891.

Supt. H. S. Mint
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

As a teacher in the Public schools of our city I write you to ask if you are willing to furnish me with any data which your Office may publish for public distribution to be used in the school room as a reference library. I find in my work a short time devoted to work of this kind not only serves as an instructive recreation but an incentive for punctuality to the pupils who grow to like it after hearing something about affairs which they think older heads do

not many times know anything about.
If you have anything in book form it will be more easily cared for but as baggage must be chosen I will be thankful for anything you may be pleased to furnish and on which I will pay either postage or expressage. Hoping my request may meet with a favorable consideration

I am very Respectfully
Miss Julia Pettigrew
748 Madison Ave.
Scranton, Pa

To
Supt H. S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa.

P. S. Can you refer me to any other person who can furnish me with instruction or statistical information which I can procure for the same use.

Scranton. Pa.
March 16. 1891

Julia Pettigrew

Wants data for use in School.

Recd
Mch 17. 1891

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, Mch 16th 1891

Mr O. C. Boabyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 93 bars of Silver weighing 9999 65.71 oz
Kindly send returns for same, including check on a/c (tomorrow without fail) to the order of the Fourth Natl Bank of N.Y. City

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1216

New York
March 16. 1891

Zimmermann & Forshay

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 17 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 17, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S Dollars Lil. #64	2.00
TOTAL	$2.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 17, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891

RECEIVED
MAR 18 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., Mch 17, 1891.

Sir:

The following blank forms for official use have been mailed you this day, viz:

2 Records of Silver Purchases

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

O. C. Bartlett, Esq
Supt. U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

[Ed. 1-22-'90—1,000.]

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Treasury Department
Washington. D. C
March. 17. 1891

E. O. Leech -
Director.

Blank forms mailed. -
2 Records of Silver
Purchases

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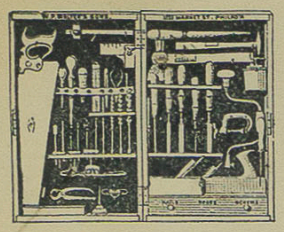
MAR 19 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

ESTABLISHED 1831. TELEPHONE



Philadelphia, Mch 17th 1891

Mint of U S.

PHILADELPHIA AGENTS FOR
W. C. YOUNG & CO'S 9 INCH
LATHES.

Bought of WM. P. WALTER'S SONS,

HARDWARE AND TOOLS,

Order No. 1180

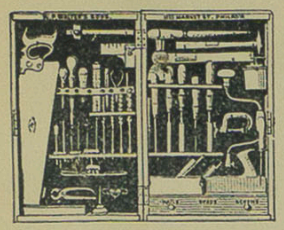
1233 MARKET STREET.

1/2 dz 13" Draper Blue Oilers	5.50	2.75	1.58
Less 40%		1.10	1.65

Price Quoted to Storekeeper 3.15 per doz nett

Recd 3/17/91

ESTABLISHED 1831. TELEPHONE



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LATHES.

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HARDWARE AND TOOLS,

Order No. 1180

1233 MARKET STREET.

1/2 dz 73 Drapu Oilers	550	275	
	Less 40%	110	165

Duplicate.

ALL CLAIMS for damage or deduction to be made within THREE DAYS after receipt of goods by mail or otherwise.

ESTABLISHED 1836.

RUBBER BELTING,
LEATHER BELTING,
LEVIATHAN BELTING,
COTTON BELTING,

RUBBER HOSE,
LINEN HOSE,
COTTON HOSE,

LACING AND LACE LEATHER,
STEAM PACKING,
RUBBER CLOTHING,

And all other articles of Vulcanized India Rubber used for Mechanical and Manufacturing Purposes.

We maintain our Reputation by selling reliable Merchandise.

SALESMEN NOT AUTHORIZED TO COLLECT WITHOUT A WRITTEN ORDER.

Philadelphia, 3 mo. 17 1891

Mr. Mint of the United States

Bought of **WILLIAM HEATON,**

Manufacturer and Dealer in RUBBER GOODS,

TERMS, CASH.

No. 707 Market Street.

Order 1176

Shipped per

1 Pr. Mens Knee Rubber Boots #10		
	4 50	
25%	1 12	3 38

OWING TO ADVANCE IN PRICE OF CRUDE RUBBER, ALL PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS for damage or deduction to be made within THREE DAYS after receipt of goods by mail or otherwise.

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Order 1176 Shipped per

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25%	1 12	3 38	

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Rec'd. 3/17/91

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., ~~March 17, 1891.~~ 189

The Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Replying to your communication of the 16th inst. I would say that the usual appropriation of $300 for specimens of coins and ores, for the cabinet of your mint, is included in the appropriation for incidental and contingent expenses for the next year.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

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Treasury Department
Washington, D.C.
March 17. 1891

E. O. Leech,
Director.

Reply to letter of 16th inst
"$300. for coins & ores
is included in the
appropriation &c &c.

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MAR 18 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Moore & Schley,
80 Broadway,
New York, May 17 1891

O C Bosbyshell Esq Supt
U.S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir:

We forward today per United States Express, forty nine thousand eight hundred eighty four $\frac{42}{100}$ (49884$\frac{42}{}$) ounces of silver 1000 fine, to fill our accepted offer of fifty thousand ounces at 99$\frac{45}{100}$ cents

Very truly yours
Moore & Schley

P.S. We will ship 100.000 oz. more within a few days - MKS

1217

New York.
March 17. 1891

Moore & Schley

Ship Silver

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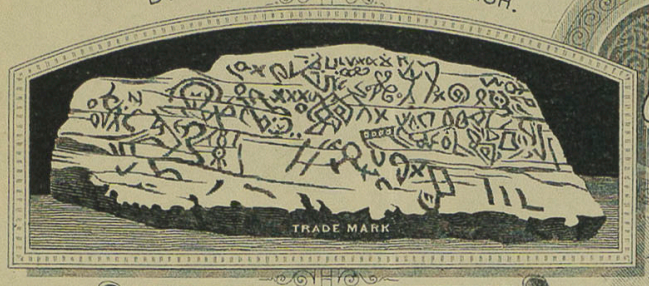
U.S. D.A. PHILA.

DIGHTON ROCK STOVE POLISH.



PURE CEYLON PLUMBAGO

FOR STOVE DEALERS USE.

~~WM. H. PHILLIPS, President.~~
~~D. A. TREFETHEN, Treasurer.~~

OFFICE OF

Taunton Crucible Company

MANUFACTURERS OF

BLACK LEAD CRUCIBLES, —STOPPERS, NOZZLES,—

WM. H. PHILLIPS, President.
W. T. MACFARLANE, Treasurer.

* Covers, Dips, Basins, Stirrers and Domes for Assayers and Refiners *

Taunton, Mass. March 17 1891

Superintendent of Philadelphia Mint.

Dear Sir.

Will you have one of your clerks send us blanks or papers showing about what the wants of the Mint will be for next year for Crucibles stirrers, dips &c. That we may make a bid for the same;

Also who supplied the Mint for 1890. at what price per number

Also about how many, of each size Crucible and what are the sizes according to numbers you use.

Also do you receive the whole lot, at about one or two Invoices. that is 4 to 6 hundred pots at a time or in less lot. or do you demand shipments in blk lot.

Respect Yours
Taunton Crucible Co
Pauge

1225

Taunton. Mass.
March 17. 1891

Taunton Crucible Co.

Asks "What the wants of the mint will be for the next year."

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MAR 30 1891

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

P

March 18, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Until further notice purchasing rate of silver bullion at your mint in lots of less than ten thousand ounces, will be ninety-eight and three quarter cents per ounce fine.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

1180

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
March. 18. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director

Purchasing rate of Silver
Bullion. 98 3/4. cents
in lots of less than 10.000

RECEIVED
MAR 19 1891

House of Representatives.

WM. R. LEEDS,
10th District,
PHILADELPHIA.

Harrisburg, Pa., 3/18 1891

Col O. S. Rosbyshal
U. S. Mint
Dear Sir

The Bill as you sent me passed the House finally and is on 2nd reading in the Senate. An Amendment has been proposed as you will find on the bottom of enclosed bill, I received it from the Attorney General Mr Hensel, to whom I referred the bill this morning, in order to have it so amended that it would not be objected to when finally passed, it is taken from the Law of 1883. telegraph me as soon as you receive this if you object to it, if you do not object to it I will let it pass Senate as Amended by enclosed bill.

Truly Yours
Wm R Leeds

1218

Harrisburg - Pa.
March 18. 1891

Wm. R. Leeds

Encloses Bill relative to purchase of land for Mint. & requests telegram if Supt. objects to Amendment.

Recd
March. 19. 1891

And after an accurate description and plan of such lands so acquired, verified by the oath of some officer of the general government having knowledge of the facts shall be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth of this State

(FORM 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 18th, 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Handy & Harman	150000	Ounces, at $ 0.9899
Wells Fargo & Co	61000	Ounces, at $ 0.99
Clark Dodge & Co	100000	Ounces, at $ 0.99
Consl Kansas City S & R Co	22000	Ounces, at $ 0.9890
Consl Kansas City S & R Co	24000	Ounces, at $ 0.99
	357000	Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq.

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90 -1,000.)

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Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 18, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
MAR 19 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1891 / MARCH (CONT.)

Philadelphia, March 18 1891

Mr. A. S. Mott

BUILDING HARDWARE,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS,
CONTRACTORS' SUPPLIES.

ORDER NO.

1169

Bought of MURTA, APPLETON & CO.,

NET CASH.

N. W. Cor. 11th & MARKET STREETS.

1/2 Doz Feather Dusters	9.00	4.50
		4.00

TELEPHONE.

Philadelphia, March 18 1891

Mr. A. S. Merritt

BUILDING HARDWARE,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS,
CONTRACTORS' SUPPLIES.

ORDER NO.

1169

Bought of MURTA, APPLETON & CO.,

NET CASH.

N. W. Cor. 11th & MARKET STREETS.

1/2 Doz Feather Dusters	gross	4 50	4 50

TELEPHONE.

Received, Philadelphia 3/18 1891

of **MURTA, APPLETON & CO.,**

marked, U. J. Mirk

the following, in good order:

1/2 dy Ostrich Duster

Exchanged
Returned 3/19/91

Recd 3/16/91

Received, Philadelphia 3/16 1891

of **MURTA, APPLETON & CO.,**

marked, W. J. Mint
Housekeeper

the following, in good order:

order 1169

6 Feather dusters 12 Inch

Exchanged 3/19/91

Recd 3/16/91
To Be Exchanged

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC PRINTER,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

March 18, 1891.

Superintendent,

U.S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 17th inst., regarding the result of the burning of the old book covers sent to you recently.

If you can sell the mass to some smelter, and send the proceeds to this Office, I would be very glad to have you do so.

In regard to the $1.25 paid by the messenger of the Mint, as freight charges on the covers, I have to say that the railroad officials at Philadelphia have been notified to refund the money to him.

Very respectfully,

F. W. Palmer

Public Printer.

1182

Office of Public Printer
Washington, D.C.
March. 18. 1891

F. A. Palmer.

Ack's receipt of favor of 17." — Relative to the burning of old Book Covers.

RECEIVED
MAR 19 1891
U. S. M. S. PHILA.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 18, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March *1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 Quarter Dollars Ldl. #65	.50
2 S.S. Dollars " #66	2.00
TOTAL	$2.50

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston

Acting *Director of the Mint.*

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 18, 1891.

R. E. Preston

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891

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MAR 20 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

Chicago, Ill., March 18th, 1891.

To the Director of the U.S. Mint
Philadelphia

Sir

I would respectfully enquire if you can let this Office have a small amount (say about 50 doll.) in gold Dollars. If you can furnish them will you kindly let us know what forms if any, besides remitting the money, are required by you.

I have the honor to remain
Very respectfully
Your obt servt

Jos Schoninger
Recg Teller

1186

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

CHICAGO, ILL.,

March 18, 1891.

Ed. Schoeninger

~~Assistant Treasurer~~ U. S.

Rec'g Teller.

SUBJECT:

Asks if they can have $5 in gold dollars

RECEIVED
MAR 20 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

21 & NASSAU ST.

New York Oct. 18 1891

Jas. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila

Dear Sir:

We have shipped you today per Adams Express, through the Am Ex Nat. Bank 133 Bars Silver = 140.354.73 oz as per enclosed invoice, which kindly apply a/c our sale today of 150m ounces @ 98.99.

Please remit proceeds care Am Ex Nat Bank

Yours respy
Handy & Harman

1222

New York
March 18. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 19 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Thomas Harkness, Pres.t | Gilbert A. Phillips, Cashier.

Manufacturers National Bank

Capital, $500.000.

Providence, R. I. Mch 18 1891

U. S. Mint.
Phila.

I enclose N.Y. oft. $300.
Please send silver as follows and all of the date of 1891 if possible, especially the 50¢ pieces

$50.	in	10¢	pieces
200	"	50¢	"
50	"	$1	
300			

Yours truly
G. A. Phillips Cashier

This is an order for one of our depositors

1223

Providence. R. I.
March. 18. 1891

Manufacturers Nat Bank.

Sends Draft $300, for
returns in silver.
especially 50ct pieces

RECEIVED
MAR 19 1891

Phil. 1423 Spruce St

March 18 1891

I hereby certify that Miss Cambos has been under my treatment for a severe injury received, in the autumn of last year. She has not yet sufficiently recovered the use of the shoulder joint to do sewing, but she has the use of the forearm, hand

Very Respy

J. Spencer Wilson M.D.

1219

Phila.
March 18, 1891

Dr Brinton

Relative to Miss Cambla.

Recd
March 19, 1891

HENRY COWAN,

Wholesale Jeweler and Importer,

Manufacturer of Watchmakers' and Jewelers' Supplies, Etc.

409 WASHINGTON STREET.

Boston, March 18th 1891

Wm. O. Babylee

Dear Sir

In reply to yours of 15 I am much obliged for your trouble & will acknowledge $30.61 when rec'd

Yours Resp.

Henry Cowan

1220

Boston March. 18th 91

Henry Cowan

Reply to Letter of 15th.
Will acknowledge
$31.61. when rec'd.

RECEIVED
MAR 19 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street,
New York, Mch 18th 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Philadª Penna.

Sir:

There will be further shipments to you for our account from Omaha of 100,000 ounces of silver.

Please account to us for same as usual, and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1221

New York
March. 18. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co.

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 19 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

§-§- OFFICE OF -§-§
WASHINGTON COUNTY,
BOARD OF EDUCATION,
THOMAS S. ARMISTEAD, CHAIRMAN.

Plymouth, N. C., Mar 18 1891

Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

A friend of mine has in his possession a large sized copper medal, I suppose, which was unearthed by a laborer ploughing in a field near here some few days ago. It has a fine impression of a female head with the words "Marie D'Orleans Duchesse De Wurtemberg" surrounding it - and underneath "Montagny 7"

On the reverse side is a female figure standing, holding sword, by a small pillar or block surmounted by a hand holding a helmet - Encircling this design are the words "Statue De Jeanne D'Arc" with the imprint "1837"

He desires to know if the piece has any value as a rarity - and not knowing, I have taken the liberty

of addressing you, Sir, whom I presume could perhaps inform me, with the request that you will kindly advise me if the Piece has any worth.

By an answer you will favor

Yours very Respectfully

Thos. S. Armistead

Box 67

Plymouth, N.C.

1226

Plymouth N.C.
March 18. 1891

Thos. S. Armistead

Asks value of Copper Medal.

RECEIVED
MAR 21 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 19 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt Mint U S
Philadelphia

Sir:

I have requested that the Bullion Fund of your institution be increased by a transfer of Three Millions *Dollars,* ($3,000,000) *and that the same be placed to your credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at* New York *in* Treasury Notes

Respectfully yours,

R. O. Preston
Acting *Director of the Mint.*

(Ed. 9-12-'89—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 19, 1891.

R. E. Preston

Director of the Mint.

NOTICE

OF

REQUEST FOR INCREASE OF BULLION FUND

By a Transfer of $3,000,000

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MAR 20 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

March 19, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

The Treasurer of the United States has on hand about thirty thousand dollars [$30,000], of uncurrent minor coins, which he desires to transfer to you for recoinage.

I will thank you to inform me when you will be prepared to receive the same.

Respectfully yours,

R. O. Preston

Acting Director of the Mint.

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Treasury Department.
Washington, D.C.,
March. 19. 1891

R. E. Preston
Asst Director.

Relative to Secretary of Treasy having on hand $30.000. for recoinage.

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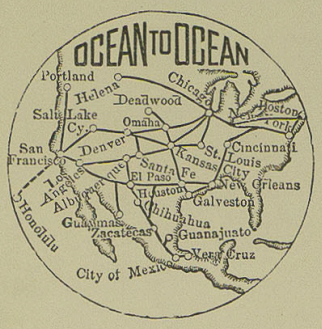
MAR 20 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.



Wells Fargo & Company's Bank,

63 Broadway, NEW YORK.

March 19, 1891.

Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:--

Herewith we hand you invoice of 59 bars silver, containing 60,833.80 ounces, to cover our sale made yesterday, of 61,000 ounces at 99 cents per ounce.

We will thank you to send us by return mail, a check for the largest amount you are willing to advance on this purchase, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

H. B. Parsons, Asst. Secy.

per

1224

N.Y.
March. 19. 1891

Wells. Fargo & Co's Bank

Sends 59. Bars Silver to
cover sale made Yes-
-terday. &c. &c.

RECEIVED
MAR 20 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

March 20, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I have to request that you will strike and forward as early as practicable the following Army marksmanship medals:

Two [2] Gold medals - First prize - Army marksmanship.

Six [6] do do Second class prize Army marksmanship.

Twelve [12] Silver medals - 3rd class prize - Army marksmanship.

Two [2] Gold medals - 1st prize - Competition Distinguished Marksmen.

Four [4] Silver medals - 2nd class prize-do do do

Eight [8] Gold medals - 1st prize - Department Marksmanship.

Twenty-four [24] Silver medals - 2nd class prize - Department Marksmanship.

Forty-eight [48] Bronze medals - 3rd class prize - Department Marksmanship.

Four [4] Gold medals - 1st prize - Cavalry Competition.

Twelve [12] Silver medals - 2nd class prize - Cavalry Competition.

Twenty-four [24] Bronze medals - 3rd class prize - Cavalry Competition.

Four [4] Gold medals - 1st prize - Revolver Match.

Twelve [12] Silver medals - 2nd class prize - Revolver Match.

Twenty-four [24] Bronze medals - 3rd class prize - Revolver match.

In all, 186 gold, silver and bronze medals.

In regard to the medals for Cavalry Competition, I would state that heretofore the second and third class prizes were of gold and silver, respectively, while now the second class prize will be of silver instead of gold, and the third class prize of bronze instead of silver - no change in design.

All the medals to be supplied with pins, cases, etc., as heretofore.

I will thank you to inform me how soon the medals can be delivered.

Please forward with medals, bill for the same, receipted in duplicate.

Respectfully yours,

R. O. Preston

Acting Director of the Mint.

1886 1/2

Treasury Department.
Washington, D.C.
March. 20. 1891

R. E. Preston,
Acting Director.

Strike and forward
the following Army
Marksmanship Medal.

(FORM 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 20th 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Clark Dodge & Co	100000	Ounces, at $	0.9935
Handy & Harman	50000	Ounces, at $	0.9940
Zimmermann & Forshay	50000	Ounces, at $	0.9940
Consolidated Kansas		Ounces, at $	
City Smelting & Refining Co	39000	Ounces, at $	0.9940
	239,000	Ounces, at $	

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston
Acting Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Superintendent U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90-1,000.)

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Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 20, 1891.

R. E. Preston

Actg *Director.*

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

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MAR 21 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

March 20, 1891.

O.C.Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I will thank you to inform this Bureau the number of five cent pieces struck at your mint in 1883 without the word "cents" thereon.

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston

Acting Director of the Mint.

Value $274,120.45
Rice

1188

Treasury Department
Washington D.C.
March 20 '91

R. E. Preston
Acting Director.

Asks "the number of five cent pieces struck in mint in 1883. without the word "cent."

RECEIVED
MAR 21 1891

Between Jan 23rd and April
6th 1881 2441 Reverse dies without
the word Cents were delivered
to Comer.

Engraver

V. 274,120.45 Feby 1st 1883.

Treasurer's Office—Form 53.
Accounts.—10-26-'89—500.

TRANSMITTING TRANSFER ORDER FOR PROCEEDS OF BULLION.

Treasury of the United States,

Washington, March 20, 1891.

Superintendent Mint U. S.
Philadelphia.
Pa

Sir:

I inclose herewith Transfer Order No. 19289, *dated* March 19, 1891, *drawn on the Assayer in charge of the U. S.* Assay Office *at* Helena, Mont., *in your favor, for* $23,031.73, *being the net value of bullion heretofore forwarded to you by him.*

Please to receipt the Transfer Order and return it to this Office with your next transcript of the "Bullion-Fund Account," as a voucher for the credit given therein.

Respectfully yours,

Asst. *Treasurer U. S.*

1189

Treasy U. S.
Washington.
March 20. 1891

J. W. Whelpley.
Ass't Treasr

Enclosed S. O. No. 19289
$23.031 73
Helena Gold

RECEIVED
MAR 21 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

L.L.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
FIRST COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 20th, 1891.

O. C. Pasbyshell, Esq.,
Supt. U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

Your account for the manufacture of Medals during the quarter ending December, 31st. 1890, has been adjusted at the Treasury, per Report No. 280390, and a balance of $1567 30/100 found due the United States, agreing with your statement.

Respectfully yours,

J R Garrison

Acting Comptroller.

A. McK

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Treasury Dept.
Washington, D.C.
March. 20 '91

J. R. Garrison
Actg Comp-

Adjusted, Acct for
manufacture of
Medals. Dec. 31
1890

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MAR 23 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

HENRY COWAN,

Wholesale Jeweler and Importer,

Manufacturer of Watchmakers' and Jewelers' Supplies, Etc.

409 WASHINGTON STREET.

Boston, Mar. 20th 1891

Mr. O. C. Boothshell.

Dear Sir:-

Today received from Adams Express Co. $19.20 I should have received $30.61, I refer you to your letter of Mar 16th, please explain and oblige

Yours resp

Henry Cowan

1227

Boston, Mass.
March 20, 1891

Henry Cowan

Complains of insufficient returns

RECEIVED
MAR 21 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street,
New York, Oct. 20th 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans~~ Philadelphia Pa, ~~La.~~

Sir:

There will be further shipments to you for our account from Omaha of 100,000 ounces of silver.

Please account to us for same as usual, and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1228

New York
March 20. 1891

Clark. Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 21 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

71133

THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,

128 BROADWAY,

GEO. S. COE, President.
DUMONT CLARKE, Vice-President.
EDWARD BURNS, Cashier.

NEW YORK, March 20, 1891

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

SUPT. U.S. MINT,

Philadelphia, Pa.,

Sir:

We return herew ith, two of the schedules showing returns for the silver sold you on the 16th at 9940 and 9950.

The schedule for returns of 28609.# ounces sold you at 9950 shows the 10th to 18th Bar in that Lot inclusive, as being 997 fine You made returns to us of these Bars at the rate of 999 fine. Statement showing the returns for 27,561.25 oz we are unable to ~~str~~ straighten out at all.

According to the ~~finnessess~~ fineness shown by your statement of this lot, and the weights, we are unable to make it agree with your figures. Please have these two statements corrected, and return to us, and oblige,

Yours very respectfully,

(W) Inclosure

Cashier

1229

New York
March 20. 1891

American Ex. Nat. Bank.

Return Statements of
Silver Bullion purchased
for correction.

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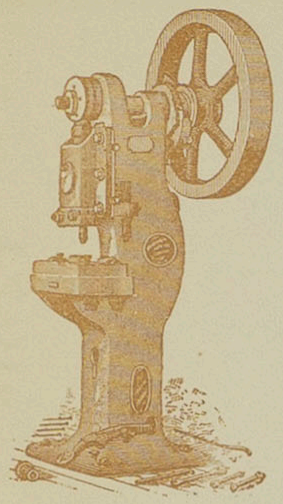
U.S. MINT, PHILA.



FERRACUTE MACHINE COMPANY

PRESSES, DIES AND OTHER SHEET METAL TOOLS.

Light Machinery improved, cheapened and manufactured on the "Duplicate System."

Established 1863.
Incorporated 1877.

OBERLIN SMITH,
PRESIDENT & MECH. ENG.
FRED. F. SMITH,
SECRETARY & TREASURER.
CHAS. D. REEVE,
SUPERINTENDENT.

Bridgeton, New Jersey, U.S.A., March 20th. 189 I

CABLE ADDRESS "FERRACUTE, BRIDGETON" TELEPHONE CALL, "No. 34"

Answering Yours of .....

Col. O. C. Bosbyshell,
U. S. Mint, Phila.

Dear Sir:-

When Mr. Steele and the other gentlemen come on Saturday will you kindly ask them to bring a little piece of sheet silver, perhaps from 6" to 8" long, of the thickness you punch dollars from, so that we can try cutting it in some presses and dies we have on hand, so as to see what size will be strong enough?

Very truly yours,
Ferracute Machine Co.,
Per Oberlin Smith,
L. M. B.

1230

Bridgeton N.J.
March 20. 1891

Fenaculi Machine Co.

Request Mr Steel & other gentlemen to bring a little piece of Sheet Silver from 6" to 8" long. &c.

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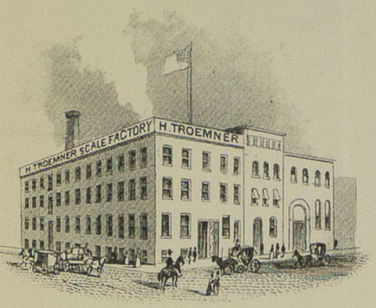
U. S. MINT, PHILA.



ESTABLISHED IN 1840

Henry Troemner,

Manufacturer of

STANDARD SCALES & WEIGHTS

710

Market Street,

Philadelphia March 20th 91

Col Oliver C Bosby shell

Supt U S Mint

Dear Sir

We beg to enclose you Invoice for the Steel Coin Pans sent by your instructions to the U S Mint at Carson Nev--they went forward this day via Express ;-

Yours very Respectfully

Henry Troemner

1231

Phila.
March 20. 1891

Henry Troemner

Encloses invoice for Steel Coin Pans. sent to U.S. Mint at Carson. Nev.

RECEIVED
MAR 21 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

S. L.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
FIRST COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 21st, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,
Supt. U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Your account for Coinage of Silver Bullion at the U. S. Mint at Philadelphia, commencing September, 1st. 1890 and ending December, 31st. 1890, has been adjusted at the Treasury, per Report No. 279965, and a balance of $19,522 39/100 found due the United States, agreing with your Statement.

Respectfully yours,

J. R. Garrison

Acting Comptroller.

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Treasury Dept.
March. 21. 1891

J. R. Garrison
Acting Comp.

Adjusted, Account of Coinage of Silver Bullion. Sept 1 1890 and ending Dec. 1. 1890.

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MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 21, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Phila. Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, *1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 Eagles Ull. #79	20.00
TOTAL	$20.00

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston
Adm'r.
Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 21, 1891.

R. E. Preston
Acting Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891

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MAR 23 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

No. 170.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 21, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa

Sir:

I transmit herewith the Assayer's report upon assay coins taken from the first and two subsequent deliveries in each week at your Mint during the Month of March, 1891, *and forwarded for test as prescribed by the Regulations.*

The coins were found to be within the legal limits of tolerance.

Respectfully yours,

R. E. Preston
Acting *Director of the Mint.*

[Ed. 2-2-'88—500.]

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 21, 1891.

R. E. Preston

Acting Director.

Leeds Assayer's Report upon Special Assay Coins. March. '91

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 24, 1891.

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States at* Phila. Pa, *in* March, 1891.

Denomination Dollars & Quarters.

No. of Delivery.	Weight.		Fineness.		
	Grains.	Dec.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.
60	413	09		8996	
	412	05		8999	
64	412	59		9004	
	412	93		9003	
66	412	13		900	
	412	86		8998	
Ave	412	60		900	
61	96			8[illegible]9	
	96	20			
65	97	38		9004	
	96	07		9001	
Average	96	41			

Cabell Whitehead.

Assayer.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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MAR 23 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

F. G. Niedringhaus, Pres. Wm. F. Niedringhaus, Vice Pres.

SOLE MANUFACTURERS GRANITE IRON WARE

ST. LOUIS STAMPING COMPANY.

WOODWARD BANK NOTE CO. ST. L.

ST. LOUIS.
NEW YORK.
CHICAGO.
BOSTON.

St. Louis Mo. Feb 21st 1891

Director of U. S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

If you can do so please have the kindness to send to Miss Clara E Vickery Vassar College Poughkeepsie N. Y. a copy each of "the Rules relating to coinage" and "the Statistical abstract of Coinage". I understand these documents can be had in pamphlet form but am not sure where the proper place is to apply for them.

Yours Very Truly
E. Stover
2945 Thomas st
St Louis Mo

1233

St. Louis. Mo.
March 21. 1891

E. Stöver

Wants copy of "Rules relating to Carriage" & "Statistical Abstract of Carriage"

RECEIVED
MAR 23 1891
U. S. INT. ST. PHILA.

Books sent.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman.

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York March 21st 1891

Mr W. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Philad.
Dear Sir.
You will receive on Monday morning (23rd) some 10.000 ounces fine Silver from the Perna Lead Co's Works which kindly apply to complete our sales of March 18th of 150m oz @ 98.99 & unit no Grounds
Cm of Am Ex. Nat. Bank
Yours very
Handy & Harman

1234

New York
March 21. 1891

Handy & Harman
Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 23 1891

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, March 21st 1891

Mr O C Bosbyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 48 bars of Silver weighing 50196.40 oz
Kindly forward returns for the above including check our account (tomorrow without fail) to the order of the Hanover Natl Bank of N Y City

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1235

New York
March 21. 1891

Zimmermann & Forshay

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 23 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

J. K. HAUBERG & CO. LITH. MILWAUKEE

J. C. WOODARD, BANKER.

ESTABLISHED JUNE, 1869

Bank of St. Charles

OCEAN STEAMSHIP TICKETS. FIRE, LIFE, TORNADO & ACCIDENT INSURANCE.

St. Charles, Minn. March 21 1891

Supt. U. S. Mint
Phila
Pa.

Dear Sir.

In ordering Pennies from the Mint what amount do I have to order in order to have them sent in small kegs.

Or if you ship in kegs now could you ship Pennies and Nickels together in order to fill a keg. and what amount will it require to fill one

Would like the information on these points

Yours Very truly
J. C. Woodard

1236

St. Charles. Minn.
March 21. 1891

Bank of St. Charles

Relative to shipment of pennies in kegs.

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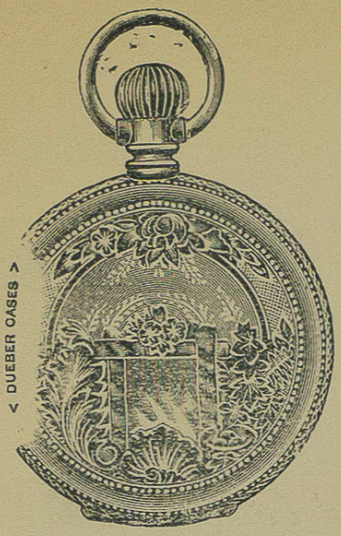
Circular



Wholesale Agent for
Dueber Cases & Hampden Movements.

L. MANSON.

JOBBER IN

WATCHES, JEWELRY & SILVERWARE,

Spectacles, Watch Material &c.

79 ORANGE ST.

Syracuse, N. Y., Mch 21 1891.

D. C. Bubychell, Supt.,
U. S. Mint, Philadelphia, Penn.

Dear Sir:- On my arrival home I found your communication of Mch 13/91. In reply will say I sent a check through U. S. Express for the amount specified in your letter although I really consider the full value has not been given in the old gold & silver I sent. I do not for a moment think it was intentionally but think there has been some mistake. Therefore I hope you will investigate the matter thoroughly & send me an explicit statement.

Yours Very Resp.,
L. Manson

1245

Syracuse. N.Y.
March 21. 1891

L. Manson

Advises of check by U.S. Express Co. and questions correctness of assay.

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MAR 25 1891
U.S. MINT

Washington C.H. Mar 22nd 1891

Mr. Boobyshel
Supt. Mint Philadelphia
Pa

Dear Sir – Yours of 17th inst and answer noted. for which please accept thanks.

How much pure gold will I have to send you to get $10.000 worth of U.S. coin in Eagles & double eagles?

Is any charge made for the alloy that enters into the make up of coins

Respectfully
J. E. Brown
Washington C.H.
Ohio

(North St bet Temple & Paint)

1237

Washington. C.H.
March. 22. 1891

J. E. Brown.

Asks how much Gold is required to get $10.000 worth U. S. Coin in Eagles -

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MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S OFFICE,

March 28th 1891.

Hon. O. H. Berry Shell
Supt

Sir:

I have the honor to state that in obedience to your instructions, Messrs. Samuel James, and A. W. Downing, called at the works of the Ferracute Machine Co. Bridgeton N. J. on the 27 inst, and report the following relative to the Coining Press built by said Company for this Mint to wit:

In its present condition, it is entirely unfit for the requirements of our work, the points in which it fails are, 1st The construction of feed motion is unreliable, and the means for regulating the pressure is unsatisfactory.

2nd There are no means provided to

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S OFFICE,

....., 189 .

prevent the dripping of oil from the joints above the table, fouling the same thereby damaging the coins,

4th The present arrangement of the tube on the table is unsatisfactory, it being located too close to the movable toggles

5th The delivery of the coins from the Press is not sufficiently convenient to admit of a ready examination of the pieces by the operator.

While the Press in the construction of the housing is ample for strength and rigidity, yet the failure in details as enumerated above would not have it prove a satisfactory machine for our needs

Very Respectfully

W. H. Keel

Coiner

1206

Mint of the U. S. at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S OFFICE,

March 23, 1891.

W. J. Steel.

Superintendent.

SUBJECT:

Report relative to the Coining Press of the Ferracute Machine Co.

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MAR 25 1891
MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

L. L.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
FIRST COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March, 23d 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.
Supt. U.S. Mint.
Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Your account for disbursements on account of Parting and Refining Bullion at the U.S. mint at Philadelphia during the quarter ending December 31st 1890, has been adjusted at the Treasury per Report No. 279936 and a balance of $2,084 82/100 found due the United States, agreeing with your statement.

Respectfully, yours,
J. R. Morrison
Acting Comptroller

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1207

Treasury Department.
Washington, D. C.
March. 23. '91

J. R. Garrison
Actg Comp.

Adjusted, Account of
"Parting & Refining
Bullion - December
31. 1891.

RECEIVED
MAR 25 1891

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

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Washington, D. C., March 23, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I inclose herewith the account of the United States Express Company for freight on fifteen empty coin boxes from Fallston, Pennsylvania, to Pittsburgh, amounting to $0.50.

It appears that Fallston is reached by the American Express Company from Pittsburgh, and that they refuse to return the boxes to the United States Express Company, unless paid for the same. Inasmuch as there is nothing in the contract that calls for the return of the boxes, although I am aware that it has been the practice and custom for the Express Company to return them without charge, I think that in this instance the amount claimed should be paid by the Mint; but it will not be considered as a precedent for similar charges hereafter, as I have notified the United States Express Company that no further allowance of this character will be made.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

Inclosure.

1222.

Treasury Department
Washington, D.C.
March 23, 1891.

E. O. Leech,
Director.

Sends account of the United States Express Co. for freight on 15# empty coin boxes from Fallston, Tenn. to Pittsburg - 0.50cts

Remarks.

RECEIVED
MAR 31 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S OFFICE,

March 23rd, 1891.

Hon. O. C. Bosbyshell
Superintendent

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith, the resignation of Miss Clara Spence as Adjuster in this department, to take effect 24th inst.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
Wm. S. Stick
Coiner

1194

Mint of the U. S. at Philadelphia, Pa.

COINER'S OFFICE,

March 23, 1891.

W. S. Steel.
Coiner ~~Superintendent.~~

SUBJECT:

Resignation of Miss Clara Spence.

RECEIVED
MAR 23 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Phila. March 24th, 1891

W. S. Steele. Esq,

Dear Sir—

Herewith tender my resignation as an Adjuster in the U. S. Mint at Phila. thanking you very much for many good courtesies.

Remain Respectfully

Clara Spence

1824 N. 4th st

Phila.

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MAR 23 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(FORM 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 23 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Fourth National Bank	20000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9898
Wells Fargo & Co	121000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9900
Handy & Harman	180000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9894
Handy & Harman	50000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9900
Zimmermann & Forshay	100000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9895
	471000	Ounces, at	$

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bratyshell Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90 -1,000.)

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Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 23, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street.
New York, Mch 28th 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 19th inst. of 96 Silver Bars Nos 85151 to 85247 inclusive 99749 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1238

New York
March 23. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co.

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Wells Fargo & Company's Bank,

63 Broadway, NEW YORK.

March 23, 1891.

Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:--

Herewith we beg to hand you invoice of 111 bars of silver, containing 120,845.80 ozs to cover our sale made to-day of 121,000 ozs at 99 cents per ounce.

We will thank you to send us by return mail, a check for the largest amount you are willing to advance of this purchase, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

H. B. Parsons, Asst. Secy.
per [illegible]

1239

New York
March 23. 1891

Wells, Fargo & Co
Ship Silver

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MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Established 1868.

—OFFICE OF—

J. H. DIEHL,

Manufacturer of Medals, Badges, Etc.

MEDALS of all description Struck to order in

Fine Gold, Silver, Bronze & White Metal

FOR SOCIETIES, SCHOOLS, Etc.

728 CHESTNUT STREET.

Philadelphia, Mar 23rd 1891

Col Q. C. Boshyshell
Supt. U.S. Mint

In reply to yours of the 20th inst. As you do not need my Coining Press, after April 1st. You will do me a favor by allowing it to remain at the mint, for the present.

Yours Truly
J. H. Diehl.

1240

Phila.
March 23. 1891

J. H. Diehl

Requests Coining Press retained at Mint for present.

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MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York, March 23rd 1891

Mr. O. B. Borhyshell Supt.
Philadelphia

Dear Sir:

We are advised of the shipment to you by the Pennsylvania Lead Co. of 18 Bars Silver = = 10.264.75 ozs.
Kindly apply same to our sale of March 18th of 150 m ozs @ 98 99 & proxy.

Clean net proceeds can be at the American Exchange Nat'l Bank of New York

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Yours Respectfully
Handy & Harman
P. D. H.

1242

New York
March 23. 1891

Handy & Harman
Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 & NASSAU ST.

New York Dec 23rd 1891

Mr. V. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today per Adams Express Co. through the Am Ex Nat. Bank
75 Bars Silver = 76.897 75 ozs.
as per enclosed invoice which kindly apply a/c our sale today of 180m ozs @ 98 9/4

Please remit proceeds care of Am Ex. Nat Bank

Yours very
Handy & Harman

1241

New York
March 23. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 24 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York, June 23 1891

Mr. O. C. Bosbyshell, Supt.
Chile.
Dear Sir
We have shipped you today per Adams Express Co. through the Am Ex. Nat. Bank
48. Bars Silver = 49.881.95 ozs.
as per enclosed invoice which kindly apply to cover our sale today of 50.m ozs @ 99.
Please credit us pounds care of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours resp'y
Handy & Harman

1243

New York
March 23. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

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MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman.

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P.O. Box, 2442.

52 & 54 NASSAU ST.

New York, March 23rd 1891

Jas. R. Bosley Shull Supt.
Philadelphia
Dear Sir.

We are in receipt of your favor 21st enclosing check J 9828. for - - - - - - - $11,147.34

Print Memo 312. calls for $12,147.34 as proceeds of 11 St Louis Bds

Have you not made some error? We have also not received final returns on shipment of 11,322 lbs (St Louis) ors. & same sale. on which we have been paid an advance.

Yours respy
Handy & Harman

1244

New York
March 23. 1891

Handy & Harman

Call attention to an error made in returns for shipment of 20th & 21st inst.

RECEIVED
MAR 24 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

HENRY PLEASANTS,
Attorney at Law,
No. 210 South Fourth Street.

Philadelphia Penna. 3/23/1891

My dear Sir –

I am anxious to obtain facts in a case in which I am interested information about the Spanish Milled Silver Dollar which was so commonly in circulation early in this century.

Can you tell me the weight of the standard of Spanish milled dollar in Spain?

Can you tell me whether it has been demonetized by the Spanish Government?

Can you tell me its present value?

If you can obtain this information for me during the next few days I shall be very much obliged. I think Col. Hughes-Hallett might give it, but I will leave it.

Very

Henry Pleasants

Mr Thos. V. Cooper Esq

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Pa.,

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,

March 24th 1891.

Col. Bosbyshell,

Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

Philada.

Dear Sir:

Will you oblige me and likewise Mr. Pleasants by furnishing him the information which he desires, as stated in the enclosed communication?

Very truly yours,

Thos. V. Cooper

Collector.

1203

Custom-House, Collector's Office,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

March 24, 1891.

Thomas H. Cooper.

Collector.

SUBJECT:

Sends Letter from Mr Pleasant and asks that he may be furnished with the information he desires

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MAR 25 1891
U.S. Mint, Phila.

No. of Inclosures,

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

St. Louis, Mo., March 23, 1891.

To The Treasurer U.S.
Washington, D.C.

Sir.

I have this day assumed the duties of Assistant Treasurer U.S. at this place. Below is my official signature and that of Mr. C. G. Ricker, who is authorized to act in my absence.

Respectfully yours,
F. G. Farrar
Asst. Trs. U.S.

C. G. Ricker
Actg. Asst. Trs. U.S.

J.M.

In your reply, please quote above initials.

Treasury of the United States.

Washington, March 25, 1891.

To the

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Herewith, for your information and guidance, please find the official signature of Mr. B. G. Farrar, Assistant Treasurer U.S., at St. Louis, Mo., also signature of Mr. C. G. Ricker, Acting Assistant Treasurer U.S. at that place.

Respectfully yours,

Jo Whelpley

Asst. Treasurer U.S.

1219

Treasury U.S.
Washington.
March 25th 1891

J. W. Whelpley
Asst Treasr

Enclosure official signature of Mr B. G. Lamar, Asst Treasr U.S. at St. Louis. also Mr C. G. Ricker, Actg Asst Treasr.

Secretary of the Treasury U.S.

Superintendent Mint, St. Louis, Mo.

Superintendent Mint, U.S.
Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Herewith, for your information and guidance, please find the official signature of Mr. B. G. Lamar, Assistant Treasurer U.S., at St. Louis, Mo., also signature of Mr. C. G. Ricker, Acting Assistant Treasurer U.S. at that place.

Respectfully,

Asst. Treasurer U.S.

March 25, 1891.

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Order No. 1207

Mint of the United States,

Philadelphia, March 23rd, 1891.

To Baltimore Copper Smelting Co

Please furnish the following articles for the Mint, accompanied, on delivery, by a detailed memorandum bill numbered as above, by which to verify the delivery.

10.000-lbs Ingot Copper

Melter & Refiner

Booked 7/128/ aw

Clerk

☞ N. B.—Duplicate receipted bills, accompanied by this order, must be presented for payment before the close of the month in which the articles were furnished.

WILLIAM KEYSER, President.
JOS. CLENDENIN, JR., Secretary.
R. BRENT KEYSER, Treasurer.

WORKS AT CANTON,
GEORGE A. POPE, Manager.

BALTIMORE COPPER SMELTING & ROLLING CO.

(BALTIMORE COPPER WORKS)

OFFICE - KEYSER BUILDING, ✻ GERMAN & CALVERT STREETS.

A. Hoen & Co. lith.

Baltimore, March 24th, 1891. 189

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq., Supt.,

United States Mint, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:

We have your telegram, advising that yesterday's order for 10,000 pounds of Ingot Copper is countermanded, and we accordingly return the order to you herewith.

Yours truly,

Jos. Clendenin Jr.

Secy.

ENCLOSURE.

1248

Baltimore. Md.
March. 24. 1891

Baltimore Copper S & R. Co.

Return order for 10,000 lbs
Ingot-Copper.

RECEIVED
MAR 25 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Major Saml. Iser.

Dear Sir:

Please state whether Mint, Philadelphia, Pa.

O. O. Boehm, Pres. Baltimore Copper S. & R. Co.

MEMORANDUM

Will you please give us the name of the Mint to which we may ship 10,000 pounds of Copper, in accordance with the enclosed order, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

Philip Ehrlich

Philadelphia, Pa.

We have forwarded, that Department, by express, a copy of the order.

Form 94.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 24, *189* 1.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia, Penna.

Sir:

The following Telegram sent you to-day is hereby made official, viz:

The order for copper for your mint was for twenty tons. We bought copper from same firm yesterday for thirteen cents a pound. You had no authority to order copper direct, and you will decline to pay the bill at fifteen and one-half cents a pound. There was no contract for fifty thousand pounds. Copper should be requested through this office, so we can secure competition.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 9-5-'90—1,500.)

1201

Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
March. 24. 1891

E. O. Leach.
Director.

Telegram made Official,—
Relative to Copper.

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MAR 25 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Form 94.

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT.

Washington, D. C., March 24 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia

Sir:

The following Telegram sent you to-day is hereby made official, viz:

Reduce purchasing rate of silver to ninety eight and one quarter cents per ounce fine immediately.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 9-5-'90—1,500.)

1202

Treasury Department,
Washington, D.C.
March. 24. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Reduce purchasing rate of Silver to 98½.

RECEIVED
MAR 25 1891

Department of the Interior,

CENSUS OFFICE,

3" 24", 1891.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication in response to the request of this office, and beg to thank you for your courtesy in furnishing the information desired.

Very respectfully,

Robert P. Porter

Superintendent of Census.

1205

MANUFACTURES
ELECTRICAL INDUSTRY

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Department of the Interior,
CENSUS OFFICE.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

Penalty for private use, $300.

WASHINGTON, D.C.
MAR 24
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C. Bosbyshell Supt
U. S. Mint
Phila
Pa.

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MAR 25
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PHILA

THE FOURTH NATIONAL BANK

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS, PREST.
C. N. BLISS, VICE PRESIDENT.
JAS. G. CANNON, VICE PREST.
C. H. PATTERSON, CASHIER.
J. A. HILTNER, ASS'T CASHIER

NEW YORK Mar 24 1891

Hon O C Basbyshell Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Sir

Messrs Zimmermann & Forshay ship you from time to time silver against sales made by them to the Director of the Mint for our a/c and upon which we have made advances with the request that the checks for proceeds be made to the order of the Fourth National Bank. We notice that the checks are always drawn to the order of Messrs Zimmermann & Forshay which really liquidates our claim on the silver as collateral. Will you have the kindness to tell us if there is any way in which the matter can be arranged in order that we may receive the checks endorsed either "Fourth Nat'l Bank" or "Zimmermann & Forshay or Fourth National Bank".

Your kind attention will oblige

Very Respectfully

J H Hiltner

1246

New York
March 24, 1891

Fourth National Bank

Ask that checks for Silver shipped by Zimmermann & Forshay be drawn to their order.

RECEIVED
MAR 25 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

CAUTION.—THIS HOUSE HAS NO CONNECTION WITH ANY OTHER OF THE SAME NAME.

Office of **S. W. LORD & CO.,**

MANUFACTURERS OF

Boiler Cleansing Compound,

(LORD'S PATENT IMPROVED)

11 South Ninth Street.

SAFE BECAUSE CLEAN

TRADE MARK

BRANCHES { BALTIMORE, MD., CHICAGO, ILL., PITTSBURGH, PA., NEW YORK, NEW ORLEANS, LA., AND LONDON, ENGLAND.

Philadelphia, Mar. 24th, 1891. *1890.*

J. C. Boabyshell, Esq.

Director U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

I desire to call your attention to the Boiler Cleansing Compound manufactured by S. W. Lord & Co., for which I have been appointed Sole Agent for Philadelphia. This Compound to the best of my knowledge, is the very best made in the United States, without an exception, we have many testimonials from some of the largest manufacturers in the country. I understand that you are going to clean your boilers out in June, and I would be pleased to have an interview with you, with a view to your adopting this Compound for the cleansing of your boilers. Awaiting your favorable reply, I remain,

Yours Respectfully,

Oliver Braden,

Sole Agt. for Phila.

Dictated.

1247

Phila.
March 24. 1891

Oliver Braden

Calls attention to Boiler Cleansing Compound manufactured by S. W. Lord & Co.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York Dec. 24 1891

Sam. D. Bosley Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today per Adams Express Co. through the Am. Ex. Nat. Bank
22 Bars Silver : 23.014.90 ozs.
as per enclosed invoice which kindly apply to our sales Dec 23rd of 180m ozs @ 98.94.

Check result proceeds care of Am. Ex. Nat. Bank

Yours very
Handy & Harman

1249

New York
March 24. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

REGISTERED
MAR 25 1891

U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1891/MARCH CONT.

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, March 24th 1891

Mr O C Boshyshell
Supt U.S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 45 bars of Silver weighing 50541.20 ozs
Kindly send us returns for the above including check on a/c (tomorrow without fail) and greatly oblige

Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1250

New York
March 24. 1891

Bunnemann & Forshay

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 25 1891

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, March 24th 1891

Mr O C Bosbyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir,

We ship you this day 48 bars of silver weighing 5000 3.50 oz
Kindly send returns for the labor including check on a/c (tomorrow without fail) to the Fourth Nat'l Bank of N Y City

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1251

New York
March 24. 1891

Gunnemann & Gorshay

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 25 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 25, 1891.

R.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Referring to your letter of the 24th instant, in reference to copper, you are informed that there was no intention on my part to imply in my dispatch of yesterday that you had knowingly exceeded your authority in the purchase of copper. A few days since the Bureau purchased ten tons for the Carson Mint at the rate of thirteen cents per pound, delivered to the Quartermaster U.S. Army, at Baltimore, for shipment, and I did not feel that we would be justified in paying fifteen and one-half cents.

My letter of August last authorized the purchase of only twenty tons, at not exceeding fifteen and one-half cents per pound, and I am unable to find from the records where any subsequent authority was given you for the purchase of copper. I have this day purchased from the Baltimore Copper, Smelting and Rolling Company ten tons copper, which is to be delivered to you free of all charges, at the rate of thirteen and one-quarter cents per pound, and I am advised that the shipment will be made today.

You are authorized to pay for the same from the appropriation for the coinage of silver bullion.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

1208

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
March 25. 1891

E. O Leech.
Director.

Relative to letter of 24" -
in reference to Copper.

MAR 26 1891

(FORM 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 25th 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Clark Dodge & Co 100000 *Ounces, at* $ 0.98125
Fourth National Bank 29.000 *Ounces, at* $ 0.9810
Ounces, at $
Ounces, at $
Ounces, at $
Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq.
Superintendent U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90-1,000.)

1209

Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 25, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

MAR 23 1891

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 25, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March, 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Lib. #68	2.00
2 S.S. " " #69	2.00
TOTAL	$4.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 25, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891.

MAR 26 1891

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 25, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I return herewith the plans for the basement of your Mint.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

Inclosure.

1211

Treasury Department -
Washington, D.C.
March. 25 "91

E. O. Leech,
Director.

Returns Place of Basement
of Mint.

RECEIVED
MAR 26 1891

Form 94.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT.

Washington, D. C., March 25, *189* 1.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia, Penna.

Sir:

The following Telegram sent you to-day is hereby made official, viz:

Reduce purchasing rate of silver to ninety-eight cents per ounce fine immediately.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 9-5-'90—1,500.)

1212

Treasury Department.
Washington. D. C.
March. 25. 91

E. V. Leech.
Director

Telegram made official.
Reduce Silver to 98.

MAR 20 1921

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street,
New York, March 25th 1891

To
The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

There will be further shipments to you for our account from Omaha of 100 000 ounces of silver.

Please account to us for same as usual, and oblige,

Respectfully yours,
Clark, Dodge & Co.

1252

New York
March. 25. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

MAR 26 1891

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street.
New York March 25th 1887

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 22nd inst. of 26 Silver Bars Nos 85282 to 85307 inclusive 27012.50 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

Wired you today

1253

New York
March 25. 1891

Clark. Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

MAR 26 1891

Phila March 25th 189[illegible]

Dear Sir

My husband was taken sick last evening as is unable to be at his work to day Yours Mrs Jackson

UNITED STATES

POSTAL CARD. 1

PHILADELPHIA PA
MAR 25
10 AM
1891

NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE

Mr. Thomas Gibson
U. S. Mint
Phila

Monday March 2/91

Mr. Maclean

I am not able to come up to work this morning on account of the Piles and my side very Bad

Stephen Lusby
982 Robinson St

Excused
J. E. MacLean

1222 So. 10. St.

Friend Nake:

John Joseph is up and about his room, occasionally. I say when the young man ~~[illegible]~~ he entirely well is beyond the knowledge of any physician

Your friend

Alfred Hawley.

3/1/91

H. C. PAIST, M. D.

No. 623 North Sixth Street,

OFFICE HOURS: { Until 9 A. M.
2 to 3 P. M.
7 P. M. }

PHILADELPHIA.

mch 10/91

This is to certify
that Mr Thomas Wolf
is sick & under
my professional
care

H. C. Paist

Recd 12/91

Philada. March. 12, 91.

Mr Jas. E. MacLam
Costodian U. S. M.
Dear Sir
This will inform you that Alexander D'Antrechy is under my care as a patient he is at present bedfast and will be unable to resume his work for several days

Yours Very Respectfully
S. Frederick Stevenson M. D.
1917. N. 8th Street

Diagnosis
Muscular Rhumatism

Phila March 17th 91

Mr Mac Lane
Costoding

Dear Sir

Your note of 16th was received this morning through Mr Ball and i sent it to the Doctor and he said he would answer it I would like to draw as much as i can as iam need Iam much better
Thank you for your Kindness

Ren Yours Very Respectfully
Alex D'Autrecy

1917 N. 8th Street.
Philada. March 17. 81.

Mr. James E. MacLane
Costodian U. S. M.

Dear Sir

Mr Alexander D'Antrechy has handed me your note to him of yesterday to answer. and will say he is still under my care suffering from "Muscular Rhumatism" contracted while at work in the "Mint", by becoming overheated, perspiring freely. then standing in a draft, and becoming chilled. He has been under my care since the 12th of the present month, I now hope to have him about again in the course of a few days.

Very Respectfully Yours
E. Frederick Stevenson M.D.

Philadelphia March 28 91

James E MacDane

Custodian of United State
Mint Dear Sir And Friend
this is my First time to
try to write and I hope
you will excuse it I
want to let you know
that I have got A
Lot Vedgetable Seed and
I thought you like to
send them up in the
Country I got my Friend
Joseph L. Stolze to write
to General Bingham
for them notice

Joe Carson that I
have got his flower seed
no more but present and hope
are well over

Jim I Am feeling
better if my Kidneys dont
take another turn Jim
nobody Knows what I want-
through but my God and
my self but I hear from
you and glad that you
hold your on no more at-
present - I Remain your
Friend for By Jones Dont-
for get - them Joe told
me you good Friend
of mine 5 mon if you
I Would like to see
you but Know got your
hands full
dont for get to tell
Joe Carson

Phila. March 23th 1891.

Mr. McClain

I am sick with the Diareah. this morning will be at work to morrow if I feel better

Yours

Mr. Henmery C. Johnson.

Mr. McClain

Present

March 23 1891.

Mr. Mc Clain

Dear Friend

I am sorry to say I will not be able to come to the Mint for a few days as my Mother is dead

Your Respect-
Mrs. E. Bolton

Excused

WILLIAM KEYSER, President.
JOS. CLENDENIN, JR., Secretary.
R. BRENT KEYSER, Treasurer.

WORKS AT CANTON,
GEORGE A. POPE, Manager.

BALTIMORE COPPER SMELTING & ROLLING CO.

(BALTIMORE COPPER WORKS)

OFFICE - KEYSER BUILDING, GERMAN & CALVERT STREETS.

A. Hoen & Co. lith.

Baltimore, March 25th, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq., Superintendent,

United States Mint, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Your communication of the 24th instant received. The order for the 10,000 pounds of Copper was returned to you yesterday. We are now in receipt of a telegram from the Director of theMint inquiring price on 20,000 pounds of Copper. We have quoted 13 1-4 cents and have wired that we can ship the Copper to-day if promptly advised. There is still due you on your contract of September 23rd, 6,000 pounds at 15 1-2 cents per pound.

Yours truly,

Jos Clendenin Jr Secy

1254

Baltimore, Md.
March 25, 1891

Baltimore Copper S & R. Co.

Relative to shipment of Copper.

March 25th, 1891.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed we send you Bill of Lading covering shipment of 30,000 pounds Lake Copper, per steamer "Chicago" to Antwerp, Belgium.

Yours very truly,

Baltimore Copper S. & R. Co.

Per. J. H. Duncan, President.

Enclosed we send you our Bill of Lading covering shipment of 30,000 pounds Lake Copper, per steamer "Chicago" to Antwerp, Belgium.

Yours very truly,

Baltimore Copper S. & R. Co.

Per. J. H. Duncan, President.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 26 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March *1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Del. 90	2.00
TOTAL	$2.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1215

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 26th, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891.

MAR 28 1891

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

P

Washington, D. C., March 26, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I will thank you, upon receipt of the inclosed draft for ten dollars [$10.00], to forward per registered mail to W. O. Ison, Office of the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C., three three dollar gold pieces, uncirculated, and one proof silver dollar, 1891.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

Inclosure.

1218

Treas'y Dep't
Washington. D.C.
March. 26. 1891

E. O. Leech
Director

Enclosed draft $10.00 for three $3. Gold pieces & one proof Silver Dollar 1891. to be forwarded to Mr W. O. Ison. Office of Treas. U.S. Washington. D.C.

RECEIVED
MAR 28 1891

WILLIAM KEYSER, President.
JOS. CLENDENIN, JR., Secretary.
R. BRENT KEYSER, Treasurer.

WORKS AT CANTON,
GEORGE A. POPE, Manager.

BALTIMORE COPPER SMELTING & ROLLING CO.

(BALTIMORE COPPER WORKS)

OFFICE - KEYSER BUILDING, ✻ GERMAN & CALVERT STREETS.

A. Hoen & Co. lith.

Baltimore, March 26th, 1891. 189

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq., Superintendent,

United States Mint, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:

The Director of the Mint wired us yesterday, accepting our bid on the 20,000 pounds of Copper for you, and we shipped yesterday afternoon, 10,000 pounds, which we had held in anticipation of our bid being accepted, understanding that you were in need of the Copper. We shipped 10,000 pounds, as we understand it is your preference to receive the Copper in that quantity, and we will prepare to ship you further lots promptly when needed.

We now wait your formal order to be attached to our bill, when we will promptly render same. We will bill the six thousand pounds due you on last purchase and four thousand pounds on yesterday's purchase.

Very truly yours,

Jos. Clendenin Jr.

Secy.

1255

Baltimore. Md
March 26. 1891

Baltimore Copper S & R. Co.

Relative to shipment of Copper.

MAR 26 1891

Baltimore, Md., March 26, 1891.

Mr. Robert Lamb,
Superintendent,
C. & O. Boat Line,
Baltimore, Md.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find bill of lading covering one car load of Copper, shipped on the Chesapeake & Ohio R.R. Co. to Liverpool, England, per steamer "Virginia" sailing from Newport News on April 1st.

We have also sent bill of lading to Mr. Wm. Lamb, Jr. Agent at Newport News, Va., covering one car load of Copper, shipped on the Chesapeake & Ohio R.R. Co. to Liverpool, England, per steamer "Virginia" sailing from Newport News on April 1st.

We have also sent bill of lading to Mr. Wm. Lamb, Jr. Agent at Newport News, Va., covering one car load of Copper, shipped on the Chesapeake & Ohio R.R. Co. to Liverpool, England, per steamer "Virginia" sailing from Newport News on April 1st.

Yours truly,

53. East 76. St
New York City

Dear Sir

I have two old Coins which I hear that I Can get a good price for at The Mint one is a Mexican 1.00 dollar of the year of 1784. The other a Mexican ten Cent piece of 1781. Will you kindly let me know if you will buy them and state thars

value. Can I send them by Mail or Express or Will I have to bring them in person. You will oblige

by Ans Mary A. Cross

53 E 75 St

New York City

March 26-91.

1258

New York
March 26, 1891

Mary A. Cross.

Asks value of certain
Mexican Coins.

RECEIVED
MAR 28 1891
U.S. MINT, S.F.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street,
New York, March 27th 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

There will be further shipments to you for our account from Omaha of 65000 ounces of silver.

Please account to us for same as usual, and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1259

New York
March 26. 1891

Clark. Dodge & Co.

Notice of further shipment of Silver.

RECEIVED
MAR 28 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,

51 Wall Street.

New York, Mch 26th 1891

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~
Philad'a Pa

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 26 inst. of 40 Silver Bars Nos. 85310 to 85349 inclusive 41742 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1260

New York
March 26. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 28 1891

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York Dec 26 1891

Mr. W. R. Bosbyshell. Supt.

Dear Sir

You will receive tomorrow morning from the Perma Lead Co's Works about 15 Bars Silver which kindly apply a/c our sale Draft 25th of 180m ozs 9894. & remit us pounds cur of Am Ex Nat Bank

Yours resp'y

Handy & Harman

1262

New York
March 26. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

MAR 28 1891

(FORM 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 27th 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Handy & Harman	50000	Ounces, at $ 09810
Clark Dodge & Co	65000	Ounces, at $ 09825
	115	Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90 -1,000.)

1214

Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

March 27th, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
MAR 29 1891

Form No. 111.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

BFR

Washington, D. C., Mch 27, 1891.

Sir:

I have examined and referred to the proper accounting officers of the Department for examination and settlement, your Bullion account for the Quarter ending Sept. 30, 1890, with my approval Except error in parting charge of $173 in payment of Silver Purchase #92 Aug. 15. 1890. which I recommend be disallowed.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U.S. Philadelphia

Ed. 1-28-'87—1,000.]

1216

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
March. 27. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Approved, - Bullion Accts
for quarter ending
September 30, 1890 —
except error in posting
charge of $1.73, U.S.

MAR 23 1891

No. 141.

Treasury Department,

D.M., BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 27, 1891.

Sir:

In accordance with the information contained in your communication of the 26th instant, the name of Mr. William McIntyre, Assistant Assayer in the Assayer's department of your institution, ~~resigned~~ deceased will be dropped from the "Official Register" of this Bureau from the above date.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 12-28-'80—1,000.]

1217

Bureau of the Mint,

March 27th, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

The name of William McIntyre, Asst. Assayer *in the* Assayer's *department,* ~~resigned~~ dropped, *has been dropped from the "Official Register" of the Mint Service.*

MAR 28 1891

John H. Sanderson, President. 920 Herbert C. Edgerton, Cashier.

THE Franklin County National Bank

CAPITAL $200.000.

Greenfield, Mass. Mar 27 1891

Director of the US Mint
Philadelphia

Sir,

Inclosed find my Dft. #12251. on the Chase Nat. Bank, for which please return us $500. in half dollars of the issue of 1890. This money is desired for a particular purpose, and 1891 coins are much desired.

Very respectfully,
H O E Gerhardt

1256

Greenfield, Mass.
March 27, 1891

Franklin Co. Nat Bank.

Enclose draft 500. for returns in Half-Dollars of 1891.

RECEIVED
MAR 28 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Left returned Mar. 28

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

21 & NASSAU ST.

New York March 27th 1891

Mr O. C. Bosbyshell Supt
Philadelphia

Dear Sir,

We are advised of the shipment, to you, from The Pima Lead Co of 16 Bars Silver = = 16.379.25 ozs.

Kindly apply same ag. our Sale of March 23rd of 180 M ozs @ 98 94 p. oz.

Please mail proceeds care of The American Exchange Nat'l Bk of New York

& oblige

Yours respectfully
Handy & Harman
P. D. H.

1261

New York
March 27th 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

MAR 28 1891

Recd Mens 28/91
Mail

Philadelphia 3 Mo. 28 1891

United States Mint
Juniper & Chestnut

TO GRANVILLE B. HAINES & CO. DR.

SUCCESSORS TO

COOPER & CONARD.

Market and Ninth Sts.

Folio

Order 1201

2	Cross Sponge Cloths @ 5.15			10	30

Recd 3/28/91

Philadelphia 3 Mo. 28 1891

United States Mint
Juniper & Chestnut

TO GRANVILLE B. HAINES & CO. DR.

SUCCESSORS TO

COOPER & CONARD.

Market and Ninth Sts.

Folio Duplicate
Order 1201

2	Cross Sponge Cloth @ 5.15		10	30

Philadelphia 3 Mo. 31 1891

United States Mint

Broad and Chestnut

TO GRANVILLE B. HAINES & CO. DR.

SUCCESSORS TO

COOPER & CONARD.

Market and Ninth Sts.

Folio 26

	1201		20 % Rent 2 mo				83	66
3	28	2	Gr. Sponge Cloth	515			10	30
1mo 3	30	5	Henrietta	100			5	00
							98	96

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28, 1891.

My dear Colonel —
I would like you
to send me by
Express — from the
Bureau — a new
set of all the
coins at present
struck. I want
to show them to

the Inventory with a view to suggesting changes in designs.

I will return them in good shape — Yours

E. J. Lewis

Director.

1220

Treasury Dept.
Washington. D. C.
March. 28. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director -

Asks, that "a new set of all the coins at present struck" be loaned to the Department.

RECEIVED
MAR 30 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., Feb 28, 1891.

Sir:

The following blank forms for official use have been mailed you this day, viz:

12 Record Books –

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia

[Ed. 1-22-'90—1,000.]

1221

Treasury Department.
Washington, D.C.
March. 28. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Blank forms mailed, -
12 Record Books.

RECEIVED
MAR 31 1891

Minneapolis 3-28-1891

Dear Sir

What is the price of a Silver Proof Set for 1891

Please answer on enclosed card & Oblige

Yours Truly

E. S. Lombard
315 Wright Blk
Minneapolis
Minn

1272

Minneapolis. Minn.
March 28. 1891

E. S. Lombard

Asks price of Silver
Proof Set of 1891.

RECEIVED
APR 2 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street.
New York, March 28th 1889,

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila.

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 25th inst. of 32 Silver Bars Nos 85441 to 85473 inclusive 51283 60 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1263

New York
March 28. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 30 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

THE FOURTH NATIONAL BANK

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS, PREST.
C. N. BLISS, VICE PRESIDENT.
JAS. G. CANNON, VICE PREST.
C. H. PATTERSON, CASHIER.
J. A. HILTNER, ASS'T CASHIER.

NEW YORK March 28 1891

Hon. O. C. Boshyshell
Supt of U.S. Mint
Philadelphia

Dear Sir,

Referring to correspondence regarding remittances to us for Silver sold by Zimmerman & Porshay we beg to enclose to you a letter received today from Director of the Mint, Washington D.C. which we trust will enable us to arrange for remittances of checks subject to our endorsement as requested.

Will you please return us the letter after reading together with form of affidavit required & also advise us if Messrs Zimmerman & Porshay can designate what checks it shall cover, so that we would only receive those we were entitled to — Yours Respty

J. A. Hiltner

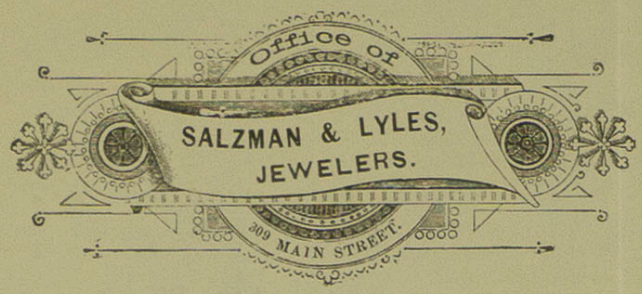
1264

New York
March 28. 1891

Fourth National Bank

Encloses letter from Director relative to remittance of checks. & requests letter with form of P. Atty returned, also asks if Zimmermann & Forshay can designate what checks it shall cover.

RECEIVED
MAR 30 1891



Danville, Va, Mar 28 1891

U S Mint
Phila Pa
Gents

Do you buy old gold & silver? gold filing, gold watch cases mutilated coins sweeps &c? and can we realize as much or more by sending our old gold & silver to you? we are not satisfied with the prices we get in N. Y.

Enclosed find postal card addressed to ourselves

Very Truly Yours
Salzman & Lyles

1265

Danville, Va
March 28. 1891

Salzman & Leylee

Ask if Mint buys
old Gold & Silver &c.

RECEIVED
MAR 30 1891

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 30, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I return herewith statements of silver delivered by the American Exchange National Bank and Nesslage, Colgate & Company, on their sales of February 20th; also of Clark, Dodge & Company and of Handy & Harman, on their sales of February 25th, with the request that you will note thereon the amount and cost of silver delivered on these sales in February and March, respectively, and return the same to this Bureau.

Hereafter, when a part of the silver purchased is delivered in two different months, you will note on the return to this office the amount delivered in each month, with the cost thereof.

In future, you will only render on Form 64 statement of your local purchases at the close of each month.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

Inclosure.

1223

Treasury Department
Washington, D.C.
March. 30. "91

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Returns Statements of Silver delivered by the American Exchange National Bank & Messlage - Colgate and Co; on their sales of February 20." - with Directions -

MAR 31 1891

(Form 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 30, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March *1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2, ¼ Dollars Del. #2	.50
Total	$ .50

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1224

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 31, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891.

MAR 31 1891

No. of Inclosures,

Fairmount Ind. Mar. 30th 91.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Supt Mint.

Dear Sir, Book (report of Mint) received for which I thank you. In looking over the report of the Coinage of the Mints (on pages 262 to 285) I notice there is no silver dollars reported coined in 1838 and 1858. No Half dollars 1796 and 1815. and no Half dollars coined at New Orleans mint in 1838.

Quarter none reported for 1824

Dimes none for 1824

Half dimes . . 1804

Nickel Five and Three Cents in 1877

Two Cents none in 1873

Copper Cents . . 1823 now

Half Cents . . 1832 and none from 1840 to 1848. I have a book ("The Rare Coins of America,") By Wm Von Bergen, which I got from the Numismati Bank Boston Mass. which claims to give a complete list of the U. S. Mint Coinage,

in which it contradicts all the dates as given above, and offers premiums on nearly all of them. This book also says there were ~~no~~ dimes coined in 1810 and no Half dimes in 1801. The Mint report says there was in both cases.

I am collecting Coins (for myself and other parties) and would like to have the truth in regard to the dates as given above, as near as you can give it.

If there was any coinage for the dates (or a part of them) as given above, please give an amount for each as near as you can. And greatly oblige

P.O. 172 Milton T. Cox

P.S. I expect to send for some proof coins soon. How would be the best way to have them sent. (say a proof set of silver and minor coins, and maybe a Quarter Eagle) Would they be safe sent registered. Please give instructions in regard to ordering proof coins, in one or more sets, with probable cost of sending. When were the Gold One and Three dollars, and Nickel 3 Cents discontinued.

1271

Fairmount Ind.
March 30. 1891

Milton S. Coy.

Asks date of certain
Coins & best way to
have Proof Sets sent.

Recd
April 2. 1891

455 Alexander St.
Rochester N.Y.
Feb 20/91

Mr C. C. Bostwell
Dear Sir.

Your letter received. The only reason why I sent the metals to the Mint was on the account of realizing more than by disposing of it here to a jeweler

I was offered $40
but as I said before
preferred to send it
to the Saint.

By return-
ing the same to me
you will oblige
Charles Guise.

1270

Rochester N.Y.
March 30. 1891

Charles Gunse

Requests metals returned.

Ret by Express Apr. 1.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,

51 Wall Street.

New York March 30 1889

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

~~New Orleans, La.~~

Phila.

Sir:

We are advised of shipment to you from Omaha, Neb., 26 inst. of 60 Silver Bars Nos. 80376 to 80607 80009 to 80036 inclusive 62,643 ozs. Please account to us for same.

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

1266

New York
March. 30. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
MAR 31 1891

OFFICE OF
JOSEPH WHARTON,
401 Chestnut Street,
(P. O. BOX 1332.)

Philadelphia, March 30 1891

Hon. G. E. Bosbyshell, Supt. U. S. Mint

Dear Sir

Please consider whether it would be advantageous to the Mint to have the $30.000 in minor coins which you are to make up into new coins, converted into new blanks outside of the Mint.

It has been thought desirable by former Superintendents to avoid the slight risk of mixing the base metal scrap with precious metal scrap, and though that risk may be slight yet accidents will happen, and the accident of getting some bronze scrap into a gold pot or some metal scrap into a silver pot would be highly disagreeable. If it should happen but once, and but a single coin be found containing a taint of base metal, the cloud of uncertainty as to how far the thing had gone would be highly vexatious.

If you should wish to have me offer for the conversion of the defaced coins, or of the metal derived therefrom, into clean new coin blanks, I will make such an offer, based upon giving you the new blanks at or before your surrender of the old metal, so as to relieve you from any trouble in your accounts. Yours truly Joseph Wharton

1268

Phila.
March 30. 1891

Joseph Wharton

Asks whether it will be advantageous to Mint to have $30.000 in Minor Coins converted into new blanks.

RECEIVED
MAR 31 1891
SECT. OF THE TREAS.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York March 30th 1891

Mr O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Philadelphia

Dear Sir;

We are advised of the shipment to you, by the Pennsylvania Lead Co. of 14 Bars Silver = = 14.203.00 ozs.

Kindly apply same on our sale of March 23rd of 180 M ozs @ 98 94 9 per oz.

Please omit-provide care of the American Exchange Nat'l Bk of New York

& Oblige

Yours respectfully
Handy & Harman
P. D. H.

1267

New York
March 30. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

MAR 31 1891

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 31, 1891.

A. C. Bostyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of March *1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Del. 73	2.00
TOTAL	$2.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1226

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 31, 1891.

E. O. Leech.

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of March, 1891.

RECEIVED
APR 1 1891

No. of Inclosures,

No. 108.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 31, 1891.

O C Boxbyshell Esq
Supt Mint U. S.
Philadelphia

Sir:

C. D. No. 7887 for $100,000.00, being on account of Minor Coinage Profits inclosed in your communication of the 30th inst, has been received, properly indorsed, and forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury, ~~~~ personal credit to be given you in your Bullion accounts, and the amount to be covered into the Treasury as profits on Minor Coinage.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director.

(Ed. 7-20-'89—1,000.)

1227

Treasury Department
Washington, D.C.
March, 31. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Received & forwarded
C.D. no 7887. - for
$100.000 -
"Minor Coinage
Profits"

RECEIVED
APR 1 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

PUBLIC LEDGER

S. W. Corner Sixth and Chestnut Streets.

GEORGE W. CHILDS, PROPRIETOR.

Philadelphia, Mch 30. 1891.

Col. O. C. Bosbyshell
U.S. Mint
City

My dear Sir

I am informed that the position of assistant assayer in the Mint has been made vacant by the death of a Mr McIntire.

Don't you think

you would do well
to give Mr Mundé
the position?

He is known to be
thoroughly competent
for the place by
education and long
experience.

I understand that
Mr Shields has promised
to speak to you in his
behalf.

Anything you
may do for him

will be highly ap-
preciated by

Respy Yours

A Richmond

The Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

MELTER AND REFINER'S DEPARTMENT,

March 31, 1891

Col. O. C. Bosbyshell,

Supt. U. S. Mint, Philad.a,

Sir,

I would respectfully inform you that I wish to be a candidate for the position of Assist. Assayer of this Mint.

Your obdt Servant

Albert Mecklee

1224 1/2

U. S. Mint.
March 31. 1891

Alex. Muckle
Wishes to be Candidate
for Ass't Assayer.

Recd March 31. '91.

No. 170.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 31, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

I transmit herewith the Assayer's report upon assay coins taken from the first and two subsequent deliveries in each week at your Mint during the Month of March, 1891, *and forwarded for test as prescribed by the Regulations.*

The coins were found to be within the legal limits of tolerance.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 2-2-'88—500.]

1225

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

March 31, 1891.

E. O. Leech,

Director.

Seuds Assayer's Report upon Assay Coins — March. 1891.

RECEIVED
APR 1 1891

No. of Inclosures,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 31. 1891.

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States at* Philadelphia *in* March. 1891.

Denomination 2 Eagles.

No. of Delivery.	Weight.		Fineness.		
	Grains.	Dec.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.
19	257	95	900		
	258	03	900		
Average	257	99	900		

Cabell Whitehead.

Assayer.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

RECEIVED
APR 1 1891
U.S. MINT, CHICAGO.

J.J.SQUIER, President. M.W.ST CLAIR, Cashier. W.C.HENRICI, Ass't Cashier.

Capital $ 1,000,000.

LOCATED AT KANSAS CITY STOCK YARDS.

UNION BANK NOTE CO. K.C.MO.

Kansas City, Kans. March 31st, 1891. 189

Supt.U.S.Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

In return for our enclosed draft No.28898 on American Exchange National Bank, New York, for $1000.00, kindly forward us as soon as possible 10 cent silver pieces. Consign to The Inter-State National Bank, Kansas City, Missouri.

Respectfully,

Wm Henrici Ass't Cy

1277

Kansas City. Kans
March 31. 1891.

Inter-State Nat. Bank

Enclosed draft. No 28898
$1000.00 for return in 10¢
Pieces.

RECEIVED
APR 3 1891

WEST JERSEY RAILROAD COMPANY.
CAMDEN & ATLANTIC RAILROAD COMPANY.
Office of Vice-President.

CAMDEN, N. J., Mch 31 1891

Col O. C. Bosbyshell,
Superintendent, U.S. Mint.
Philadelphia

My Dear Colonel,

I understand Mr Addison Hamlin, who is an employe of the Mint, is seeking promotion, and desirous of filling a place now vacant. Mr Hamlin is the son of an old friend General Chas Hamlin, who served with me during the War, and he the son of Hon Hannibal Hamlin, late Vice President of the United States. The grandson of Hannibal Hamlin should not appeal in vain for any public position that he can reasonably fill, and I beg to commend him to your kind consideration, —

Yours Truly

W. J. Sewell

1269

Camden. N. J.
March 31. 1891

W. J. Sewell.

Asks to have Mr Hamlin promoted.

Order 1226

PHILADELPHIA, Mch 31 1891

GEO. BRINTON PHILLIPS.
CLEMENT S. PHILLIPS.
WILLIAM B. PHILLIPS.

M Mint of the United States

OIL VITRIOL,
NITRIC,
MURIATIC,
AC. FORTIS AND OTHER ACIDS,
PRUSSIATE POTASH,
SAL AMMONIAC,
" " POW'D,
BLUE VITRIOL,
BORAX,
PEARL ASH,
JEWELERS' ENG. BORAX.
SALTPETRE,
SODAS,
SODA ASH,
COPPERAS,
YELLOW WAX,
WHITING.
VIENNA LIME,

Duplicate

Melter & Refiner

To **PHILLIPS & JACOBS**, Dr.

Manufacturers of

SILVER, NICKEL AND GOLD PLATERS' CHEMICALS

AND

CHEMICALS FOR THE ARTS.

Dealers in Acids and Crude Chemicals,

IMPORTERS OF HESSIAN SAND CRUCIBLES.

Assayers and Refiners of Gold and Silver Waste,

STORE, No. 622 RACE STREET.

Interest at one per cent. per month will be added to all bills unpaid after maturity.

NET CASH.

CYANIDE POTASSIUM,
ALCOHOL,
FINE SILVER,
" GOLD,
NICKEL SALTS,
WHITE COMPOSITION,
RED "
ROUGES,
CHLORIDE GOLD,
" SILVER,
MERCURY,
BICHL. PLATINUM,
PUMICE STONE, POW'D
POTASH,
COPPER GRANULATED
ZINC PLATES,
DISTILLED WATER,
C. P. CHEMICALS,
BLACK L'D CRUCIBLES

One Cask Crucible Sand	no. 648			
242 Second Size Round halves	@ .11		26	62

Recd 3/

Order 1226

PHILADELPHIA, Mch 31 1891

Geo. Brinton Phillips.
Clement S. Phillips.
William B. Phillips.

M Mint of the United States

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SODAS,
SODA ASH,
COPPERAS,
YELLOW WAX,
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VIENNA LIME,

CYANIDE POTASSIUM,
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FINE SILVER,
" GOLD,
NICKEL SALTS,
WHITE COMPOSITION,
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ROUGES,
CHLORIDE GOLD,
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MERCURY,
BICHL. PLATINUM,
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DISTILLED WATER,
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Melter & Refiner

One Cast Crucible Sand No. 648				
242 Second Size Round halves @	11		26	62

As soon as possible after the 1st of each month, we send statements of all bills due and not due, as per our Ledger. This gives our customers an opportunity to correct errors, if any.

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

Folio 1331

Philadelphia, MAR 31 1891

U. S. Mint Phila Pa

To Merchant & Co., Dr

Terms

This account is due 189 Average date being

Mar	1	2/23 To Acc't Rendered Mdse.	10	97		

KINDLY REMIT US FOR SUCH AMOUNT OF ABOVE ACCOUNT AS IS DUE.

(Form 125.)

UNITED STATES MINT

AT

Carson, Nevada

March, 1891.

S. C. Wright, Sup't.

RECORD

OF

COINS RESERVED FOR ANNUAL ASSAY, &c.

Quarter ended March 31st A.D. 1890.

JAMES M. ARRISON, Pres.
A. N. PAUL, Vice-Pres.
G. A. SCHAFER, Sec. and Treas.
J. G. MATSINGER, General Supt.

OFFICES AND DEPOTS:

WHARF, LOMBARD ST., SCHUY'L.
WHARF, 27th ST. bel. PINE, SCHUY'L
554 NORTH BROAD STREET.
10th AND SUSQUEHANNA AVENUE.
913 OTSEGO STREET.
206 BAINBRIDGE STREET.
206 SOUTH NINTH STREET.

Families, Stores, Hotels, Ice Cream Saloons &c., served punctually, by careful drivers.

ALL COMPLAINTS, CHANGES, &c., TO BE SENT TO OFFICE.

Philadelphia, 7/31 1891

M United States Mint
Juniper & Chestnut

Station 20
Book 2
Page

To **Commercial Ice Co.** Dr.

OFFICE, 1418 SOUTH PENN SQUARE.

To 7955 lbs Ice	@ 50¢	$39 78
Bill Rend		75 53
		$115 31

Received Payment for the Company,

Mch - 2 - 300
3 - 270
4 - 400 ✓
5 - 260
6 - 320
7 - 130
9 - 300
10 - 290
11 - 360
12 - 330
13 260
14 405 ✓
16 - 190
17 - 280
18 - 350
19 - 320
20 - 350
21 - 270
23 - 280
24 - 370
25 - 400 ✓
26 360
27 ——
28 - 330
30 380
31 350

7955

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Philadelphia, 3/31 1891

M. W. Smith
Refining Room

Station a
Book D.
Page

To **Commercial Ice Co.** Dr.

OFFICE, 1418 SOUTH PENN SQUARE.

To 1280 lbs Ice	@ 5	6 40	
Bill Rec'd		16 49	
		22 89	

Received Payment for the Company,

March	16	620 lbs
	17	510
	18	150
		1280

FERRACUTE MACHINE COMPANY.
PRESSES, DIES AND OTHER SHEET METAL TOOLS.
"Light Machinery improved, cheapened and manufactured on the Duplicate System."
Established 1863. Incorporated 1877.
OBERLIN SMITH, PRESIDENT & MECH. ENG.
FRED. F. SMITH, SECRETARY & TREASURER.
CHAS. D. REEVE, SUPERINTENDENT.
Bridgeton, New Jersey, U.S.A. March 31st, 189 I
CABLE ADDRESS "FERRACUTE, BRIDGETON" TELEPHONE CALL, "No. 24."
Answering Yours of

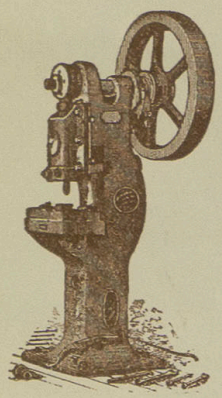
Col. O. C. Bosbyshell,
U. S. Mint, Phila.

Dear Sir:-

In accordance with the arrangement made with our Secretary when he last called on you we enclose, on Fig. 2, a sketch, in vertical section through a b, Fig. I, of the proposed coining press which he explained to you, and which is shown in perspective on sketch, Fig. I, also enclosed. Of course this is not drawn to scale, and is not entirely complete, as it is impossible to design a machine of this kind in every detail without spending a great many days time upon it and making a complete set of large scale drawings, all of which is quite expensive.

Our reason for asking you to go by our specifications (in which we tried to clearly define conditions and results) rather than by a drawing, was not from any indisposition to explain everything definitely, but from the fact intimated above that it is very hard to get everything definitely arranged except by perfected scale drawings. In making these, we might of course find that in some place a lever of the second order was better than a lever of the first, or that there was not room on one side for some cam or slide that must therefore be transferred to the other, or something of this kind which would make the finished machine different from these preliminary sketches. In general, however, our ideas are shown in Figs. I and 2, as near as they can "materialize" now.

The general idea is to get a machine with, Ist: Rolling toggles T, with all of their bearing surfaces very wide and of hardened steel, connected by cogs at the sides simply to keep them in place, these cogs however taking none of the working pressure. 2nd: With these toggles, as also the shaft S; pitman P; cam C; rollers R, R' slide S; plunger P'; feeder F and all other working parts beneath the table T, so as to prevent oil-dripping and lost-motion. 3rd: To get very short motions so as to avoid wear (less than I/8" in plunger, I/8" in slide, I" in feeder etc.) so that the machine will run very quietly, smoothly and durably; also at a high speed if desired—this object also being aided by having wheel W down near the floor 4th: To get a much greater simplicity of parts (as well as motion), both in their form and quantity, so as to enable the machine to be built for much less than heretofore, and cost less for repairs.



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CABLE ADDRESS "FERRACUTE, BRIDGETON" TELEPHONE CALL, "No. 24"

Answering Yours of

Mint 2

We have shown a trough or shute (for delivering the coin) T", curled around upon itself so as to come forward and deliver into a box supposed to be set upon a bracket at the front of the press about at the point B, so that the operator could see (and catch in her hand) each coin as it came out. If however this arrangement is not satisfactory we would make it to deliver about the same as your press does.

We have not shown the tube T''' as spliced, so that the top of it would not move, but would make it so if it proves desirable. We think however a slight motion up and down, of less than 1/8", would be favorable rather than otherwise to feeding, as it would help the coins to settle down better than with a stationary tube.

Hoping that if you wish further explanations you will freely ask us for them, referring by pencilled reference letters to these sketches, and return them to us, we are

Yours truly,
Ferracute Machine Co.,
Per
Oberlin Smith,
Prest

2 enclosures

P.S. The writer, since he saw you, has been studying the "rolling" problem, conferring with Connecticut brass people. He thinks there is yet a way (although they've not found it and up there in Conn.) to get your strips so uniform in thickness as to fall within the weight limit.

F. M. Co.

Rec'd Mar. 31. 1891
Answered Apr. 8 "

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S OFFICE,

April 7th, 1891.

Hon O. C. Bosbyshell.

Superintendent.

Sir.

Referring to the letter of the Ferracute Machine Co. Bridgeton N.J. of the 31st ult, relative to building a Coining press, I have the honor to report that the sketches and explanations furnished by the Company were inspected by Messrs James, Downing and myself, and it was the unanimous opinion that the plan does not warrant the belief that the Press as designed would do the work as perfectly as the presses now in use.

The feed motion is thought not to be reliable at all times and the contemplated construction of the press utterly fails to convince how it can be considered an improvement in comparison to our present

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S OFFICE,

..... 189 .

style of Coining presses.

Drawings and explanations will not guarantee its efficiency, which can only be proven by working results.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant.
W. S. Heel
Coiner.

1277

Mint of the U. S. at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S OFFICE,

April 8, 1891.

Wm. L. Steel
Coiner ~~Superintendent~~.

SUBJECT:
Coiner's Report touching proposition of Furnacite Machine Co. to construct a coining press.

RECEIVED
APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures.

U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1891 / APRIL

Philadelphia, April 3rd 189[illegible]

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

R. S. Mint 460 lbs. Ice.

Received by J. W. Reidenbach

6100
5640

460

Philadelphia, April 13th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U.S. Mint Granulating 550 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

4720
4170
550

Philadelphia, April 11th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N.S. Mint Granulated 520 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

4370
3850
520.

Philadelphia, April 10 *1891*

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N.S. Mint Granulating 480 *lbs. Ice.*

Received by Jno Reidenbach

4410
3930
480

Philadelphia, April 1 189 1

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint 380 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5730
5350

380

Philadelphia, April 2nd 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint 370 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

6030
5660
370

Philadelphia, April 4th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 370 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reuenbach

6310
5940
370

Philadelphia, 4/6 1891

U. S. Mint

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

380 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Keller

Weiher

5760
5380
380

Philadelphia, 4/7 1891

U S Mint

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

330 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Keller
Weigher

5530
5200
330

Philadelphia, 4/8 1891

U.S. Mint

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

365 lbs. Ice.

Received by N. B. Keller
Weigher

4410
4045
365

Philadelphia, April 9th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

H. S. Mott 340 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

4470
4130

340

Philadelphia, April 10 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

R. S. Mint 340 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

4750
4410
340

Philadelphia, April 11th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

H. S. Mint 270 lbs. Ice.

Received by J. M. Reidenbach

4640
4370
270

Philadelphia, April 13th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U. S. Mint 340 lbs. Ice.

Received by J. W. Reidenbach

6060
4720

340

Philadelphia, April 14 *189*1

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. C. Mint 520 *lbs. Ice.*

Received by Jno Rudenbach

5070
4550
520

Philadelphia, April 15th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

H. S. Mint 610 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5030
4420
610

Philadelphia, 4/16 *189*1

U S Mint

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

480 *lbs. Ice.*

Received by W. B. Kebler

Weigher

0700
620
80

Philadelphia, April 17th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mirl 470 lbs. Ice.

Received by Wm Lordenbach

5220
4750
470

Philadelphia, April 18th 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 400 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

4960
4500
460

Philadelphia, April 20 1897

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 620 lbs. Ice.

Received by J M O Reidenbach

5070
4450
620

Philadelphia, April 21 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 590 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5620
5030

590

Philadelphia, April 22 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 740 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5500
4810
740

Philadelphia, April 28 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 515 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Ruidenbach

5230
4715
515

U.S. Mint

Philadelphia, 4/24 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

600 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Keller
Weigher

5140
4540
600

Philadelphia, April 25 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

H. S. Mint 550 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5920
5370
550

Philadelphia, 4/27 1891

U.S. Mint

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

690 lbs. Ice.

Received by H. B. Kebler

Weighter

5710
5020
690

Philadelphia, April 28th 1897

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint — 680 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5270
43-90
680

Philadelphia, April 29 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

U.S. Mint 530 lbs. Ice.

Received by Jno Reidenbach

5400
4870
530

Philadelphia, April 30 1891

Received of COMMERCIAL ICE CO.

Office, 1418 South Penn Square.

N. S. Mint 760 lbs. Ice.

Received by J. M. Reidenbach

5800
5040
760

No. 2 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 1 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood *Coal.*

Carted by Morgan } Jno Reidenbach

No. 1 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 1 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/ ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Morgan } Jno Reidenbach

No. 51 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 2 1891.

Ruiter

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood ~~Coal~~.

Carted by Moyer } Jno Reidenbach

No. 108 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 3 1891.

Print

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood dol.

Carted by Wm } Jno Reidenbach

No. 109 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 3 1891.

Friend

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Tons cords Oak-wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Lloyd } Jno Reudenbach

Jr

No. 171 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 4 1891.

Ruiet

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton Cords Oak wood Coal.

Carted by Wm Reidenbach

No. 225 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 6 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by

Mundy } J. L. Graham

No. 224 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 6 1891.

Mitchell

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ cords Oak wood Coal.

Carted by

Morgan J. L. Graham

No. 301 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 7 1891.

Mill

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 ~~Ton~~ cords Clk wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by

Moyden J. L. Graham

No. 356 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 8 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Tons Oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Murphy

W. B. Keller
Weigher

No. 357 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 9 1891.

Ruiir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/ ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood ~~Coal~~.

Carted by Munyan } Jno Reidenbach

No. 496 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 10 1891.

Merit

Received of JOHN J. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ ~~Tons~~ Cords Oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Dan } Jno Leidenbach

No. 471 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 10 1891.

Miller

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood Coal.

Carted by Mazdis

Jno Reidenbach

No. 576 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 11 1891.

Merit

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cords Oak wood Coal.

Carted by Murphy J. McKenenbach

No. 771 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 13 1891.

Irwin

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 Ton 2 cords oak wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by

Dispatch Jno Reidenbach

No. 552 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 14 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Tons ~~Coal~~ Oak wood

Carted by Moyden } Jno Reinenbach

No. 649 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 15 1891.

Print

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by

Morgan Jno Reidenbach

No. 700 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 16 1891.

Ruiner

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 cords clak wood

Ton Coal.

Carted by Moyden

J. L. Graham

No. 768 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 17 1891.

Mr. Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ ~~Ton~~ cords Oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Mundy Jno Reudenbach

No. 778 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 17 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 ~~Ton~~ Cord Oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Monday } Jno Reidenbach

No. 800 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 18 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 ~~Ton~~ cords oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by Moydus Jno Reidenbach

No. 839 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 20 1891.

Ruiner

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cords Oak wood Coal

Carted by Morgan } Jno Reidenbach

No. 884 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 21 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton Carlo Oak ~~Coal~~

Carted by Wm Reidenbach

No. 871 *Philadelphia,* 2 *Mo.* 21 1891.

Mullin

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 ~~Ton~~ cords Oak wood Coal.

Carted by

Moyer Jno Reidenbach

No. 897 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 22 1891.

Ruiu

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Tons clak-wood ~~Coal~~.

Carted by Runyan } J M Kerdenbach

No. 926 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 23 1891.

Ruiz

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 Ton Oak wood *Coal.*

Carted by

Moyden Jno Reidenbach

No. 956 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 24 1891.

Mullin

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 Ton cords Oak wood ~~Coal~~.

Carted by

Moydut

J. L. Graham

No. 991 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 25 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ Tons Cords of oak wood Coal

Carted by Mayden Jno Reidenbach

No. 978 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 25 1891.

Miller

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Ton cords oak wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by

Moyduis Jno Reidenbach

No. 1018 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 27 1891.

Quint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ ~~Ton~~ cord oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by

Robinson J. L. Graham

No. 10 r0 *Philadelphia,* 4 *Mo.* 28 1891.

Duplicate

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

Mr Tons Oak wood ~~Coal.~~

Carted by

Dunydir Jno Reidenbach

No. 1081 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 29 1891.

Muir

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1½ To Cord Oak wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by Moyd } Pro Reidenbach

No. 1121 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 29 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1/2 Ton cords oak wood Cord.

Carted by Morgan

Jno Reudenbach

No. 1141 Philadelphia, 4 Mo. 20 1891.

Mint

Received of JOHN S. LOWRY & SONS,

North Side of Lombard St. Wharf, Schuylkill.

1 1/2 Tons Oak-wood ~~Coal~~

Carted by Munyan } J. W. Reidenbach

FORM 130 C.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Assayer's Office, April 1, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Department, viz:

10 lbs Prot oxide of lead

5 lbs Chloride of Ammonia gran

1 Carboy Nitric Acid C.P.

Jacob B. Eckfeldt

Assayer.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-9-'80—1,000.]

130 C.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Assayer's Requisition for Supplies

No 12458

Approved: Apr. 1, 1887

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 1st, 1891.

Sir: Edison Electric Light Co

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Electricity Consumed for the month of March 1891 -

80.274 Lamp Hours @ 3/4c — $602.06

60. Horse power Hours for 2 Motors @ 2 1/2c per Hour — 4.50

$606.56

Please send order to Custodian

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 12444

Approved: April 1st, 1891.

O. Chubyshev

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA

~~March~~ April 1st, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

10. Bars 5/8" Round Iron. A.B.
100. pounds Bundle 1/2 Round Norway Iron
100. " " 5/8 x 1. in " "
The Norway Iron must be of good quality
5 pounds Black Hoop Iron. 1."

Einwachter Bryette

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1243

Approved: April 1st, 189 1.

O C Bolgiano

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 1th., 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

5 — 4x6 — y. p. 14 ft. long
1 — 4x4 — " " 26 " "
12 — 4x4 — " " 14 " "
14 — 3x12 — Spruce 26 ft. long
14 — 3x4 — hemlock 20 " "
15 — 3x6 — " " 16 " "
18 — 3x6 — " " 14 " "
1000 ft. of wt. p. Sheeting Boards 12 in. wd.

Approved
James E. MacLane
Custodian

C. S. Heim

For new building over Vault

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1241

Approved: April 1st, 1891.

O C Bakewell

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 1st, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Fifty (50) Prs. Furnace Mitts.
Two Hundred (200) Prs. Fire Mitts.
Six (6) Doz. Scrubbing Brushes. w.g. #25

Mrs Annie Black, (Eastburn & Co.)

Approved
James E Maihan
Coiner

Wm. J. McComas.
Storekeeper.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 123839

Approved: April 1st, 1897.

O. C. Bolzhuber

Superintendent.

FORM 130 D.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 1st, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Two Hundred Tons Pea Coal for use this month.

Respectfully

Wm. F. Pratt

Chief Engineer

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-7-'83—2,000.]

FORM 130D.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1240 –

Approved: April 1, 1891.

O C Boylston

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 1, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz: (For the Cabinet)

The following coins and medals, to be purchased from Thomas Birch's sons Auctioneers, 1110 Chestnut St. Philadelphia, at the prices annexed.

No.			
94	Bronze, of Ancient Phila.		$ .80
151.	1852.	U. S. gold dollar.	1.70
152.	1853.	" " "	1.70
201.	1806.	Quar. Eagle. 6 stars. f.	36.50
225.	1797.	Half. Eagle. Small Eagle var.	46.00
252.	1798	Eagle 4 stars f.	42.50
616.	1794.	Half cent. Small head.	10.50
748.	Medal. -	Benjamin Rush.	2.25
780.	"	Marie Christine	1.00
781.	"	Marie Antoinette	4.75
			$ 147.70

R. A. McClure
Curator.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1237

Approved: April 1st, 189 1.

O. A. Dalephee

Superintendent.

Committees on the Centennial Celebration, April 30th, 1889, of the Inauguration of George Washington as President of the United States.

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No. 10.—LITERARY EXERCISES.

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY, Chairman,
CLARENCE W. BOWEN, Secretary.

Office of the Secretary, 251 Broadway, New York. April 1st, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell,
Superintendent Mint of the U. S.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Sir:

I will attend, with much pleasure, to the matter of sending one of the Centennial Medals to the Philadelphia Mint.

Very truly yours,

Clarence W. Bowen

Secretary.

1276

New York
April 1. 1891

Clarence W. Bowen

Will attend to sending one of Centennial Medals to Phila Mint.

RECEIVED
APR 3 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

IF NOT DELIVERED
RETURN TO
GEN. D. BUTTERFIELD,
616 5TH AVENUE, N. Y.

Mar 31/91

Genl. C. H. T. Collis
&c &c

My dear Genl.

Your favor enclosing the request of Maj. A. C. Berry chief Supt of the Mint at Phila for a centennial medal has been received –
I have referred the same to Clarence W. Bowen Esq of the Centennial commission with a request that it be complied with – Please advise Major Berry that I have this not be done & will make other efforts.

Very Truly Yours

Dan'l Butterfield

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman.

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York April 1st 1891

Mr. W. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir:
We have
shipped you today by Adams Express
Co. through the Am Exch. Nat. Bank
48 Bars Silver : 50.319.25 ozs
% sale today @ 98.80

190 Bars Silver : 199.349.85 ozs
% sale today @ 98.74

as per enclosed invoices
Please credit
proceeds acct of Am Ex. Nat
Bank

Yours resp.
Handy & Harman

1275

New York
April 1. 1891

Handy & Harman
Ship Silver

APR 2 1891

HEIDELBACH, ICKELHEIMER & CO.,
P. O. Box 2854,

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
HEIDELBACH—NEW YORK.

New York, April 1st 1891 *189*

To the Director of the Mint,

Philadelphia.

Dear Sir,-

In accordance with telegrams exchanged with the Director of the Mint in Washington, we confirm our sale of 20,000 ozs Fine Silver at 98.80. We are shipping you this lot to-day per Adams Express viz.
18 Bars or 19974 30 ozs. as per Statement -

Please send us Check for the usual percentage upon it and thereby favor

Yours very respectfully,

Heidelbach Ickelheimer & Co

1274

New York
April 1. 1891

Hendelbach, Ickelheimer & Co

Ship Silver

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APR 2 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

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THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,

128 BROADWAY,

GEO. S. COE, President.
DUMONT CLARKE, Vice-President.
EDWARD BURNS, Cashier.

NEW YORK, April 1, 1891

E. O. Leach, Esq., Supt. U.S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

We send you herewith the following invoices of silver shipped you to-day in accordance with the acceptance by the Director of the Mint of our offer to him at 9880, namely:

27,850.25 ozs.
26,788.
26,311.25

Very respectfully,

E Burns Cashier

per

(W)

1273

New York
April 1. 1891

American Ex. Nat Bank

Send invoices of Silver

RECEIVED
APR 2 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Mint of the United States at Carson, Nev.,

CASHIER'S OFFICE,

H.R.R.

April 1st, 1891.

Sir:-

I send you by to-day's express, (3) three sealed boxes containing the annual assay coins for the Quarter ended March 31st, A.D. 1891 as per memoranda enclosed herein. A notification of their shipment to you has been mailed this day addressed to the Director of the Mint.

Very Respty.

S. H. Wright

Superintendent

To

Hon O. C. Bosbyshell

Supt. U. S. Mint.

Phila. Penn.

1266

Mint of the U. S. at Carson, Nev.,

CASHIER'S OFFICE,

April 1st, 1891.

S. C. Wright

~~Cashier~~. Supt.

SUBJECT:

Transmitting Annual Assay Coins for Quarter Ended March 31st 1891.

RECEIVED
APR 7 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures, ...

No. 108.

Treasury Department,

BAR

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1891.

O C Boxbyshell Esq
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia

Sir:

C. D. No. 7889 for $ 208.01, being on account of Sale of Old Material Jr. ending Mch 31. 1891 inclosed in your communication of the 31. ult, has been received, properly indorsed, and forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury, no personal credit to be given you in your Bullion accounts, and the amount to be covered into the Treasury as a miscellaneous receipt

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director.

(Ed. 7-20-'89—1,000.)

1255

Treasury Department -
Washington, D.C.,
April. 1. 1891.

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Received, and forwarded
C.D. no. 7889. no. 208.01
"Sale of old material."

RECEIVED
APR 4 1891

No. 138.

Treasury Department,

F.P.1. BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 1st 1891.

Sir:

The transfer of Nathan A. Beckley from the position of Custodian of bars in the General department of your institution, and appointment as an assistant in the Assayer's department, at a compensation of $ 5.00 per diem, submitted in your communication of the 31st ultimo, is hereby approved, to take effect from the date assuming his new duties vice Homer L. Pound, promoted.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 12-28-'80—1,000.]

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Bureau of the Mint,

April 1, 1891

E. O. Leech

Director.

approving the transfer and appointment of Nathan S. Beckley Custodian of Bars as an Ass't in the Assayer's department.

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No. 141½.

Treasury Department,

T.P.L. OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1st 1891.

Sir:

The promotion of J. B. Baldwin from the position of Assistant in the General Department of your institution, at a compensation of $1400 to that of Custodian of Bars in the Same Department, at a compensation of $5.00 per diem, submitted in your letter of the 31st ultimo, is hereby approved, to take effect from the date he assumes his new duties, vice Nathan A. Berkley transferred.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. Bosbyshell Esq
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 4-30-'85—500.]

1233

Treasury Department,

April 1, 1891

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

APPROVING THE PROMOTION

OF

J. B. Baldwin

General Department,

at $ 5.00 per diem,

from Asst to Custodian of Bu

vice Nathan S. Beekley. Trans.

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No. 141½.

Treasury Department,

F.P.L. OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1st, 1891.

Sir:

The promotion of Henry Parvin from the position of Cleaner in the Coiner's Department of your institution, at a compensation of $ 2.90 to that of Helper in the Same Department, at a compensation of $ 3.00 per diem, submitted in your letter of the 31st ultimo, is hereby approved, to take effect from the date he assumes his new duties, vice Thomas J. Lappin, transferred.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Roshyohell Esq
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 4-30-'85—500.]

1234

Treasury Department,

April 1, 1891

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

APPROVING THE PROMOTION

OF

Henry Tarvin Cleaner

Coiners Department,

at $ 3.00 per diem,

from Cleaner to Helper

vice Thos J. Lappin, Resigned.

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APR 2 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

No. 138.

Treasury Department,

F.O.P. BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 1st, 1891.

Sir:

The transfer of J. H. Stephens from the position of Laborer in the General department of your institution, and appointment as a Cleaner in the Coiner's department, at a compensation of $ 2.90 per diem, submitted in your communication of the 31st ultimo, is hereby approved, to take effect from the date he assumes his new duties vice Henry Parvin, promoted.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 12-28-'80—1,000.]

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Bureau of the Mint,

April 1, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

approving the transfer and appointment of J. H. Stephens Laborer as a Cleaner in the Coiners department.

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(No. 137.)

Treasury Department,

F.&G., BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 1st, 1891.

Sir:

The appointment of Henry Rohm as a Laborer in the General department of your institution, at a compensation of $2.75 per diem, submitted in your communication of the 31st ultimo is hereby approved, to take effect from the date of oath, vice J. N. Stephens, transferred.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa

(Ed. 1-22-'90—1,000.)

1236

Bureau of the Mint,

April 1, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

approving the appointment

of Henry Kohan

as a Laborer

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

P

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.
Supt U. S. Mint
Philadelphia, Pa.:

Sir:

Until further notice the purchasing rate of silver in lots of less than ten thousand ounces will be 98½¢ per ounce fine

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

1237

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 1, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

SUBJECT:

Purchasing rate of silver 98½ per oz fine

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U.S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1891. , 189 .

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

In your schedule of Old Material sold during the quarter ending March 31, 1891, I have to call your attention to the following article,- "378 lbs., Old Lead, at 3/4 cents = $15.17." If there were only 378 lbs., you have deposited $1.00 too much, as this number of pounds would amount to $14.17 instead of $15.17 as you have it.

The Certificate of Deposit will be held awaiting your reply.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

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Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
April 1. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Calls attention to Schedule of old material sold during quarter ending March 31. 1891.

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U.S. MINT, PHILA.

No. 108.

Treasury Department,

BFB

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1891.

O C Bosbyshell Esq
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia

Sir:

C. D. No. 7890 for $ 68.00, being on account of Special Assays. Fr. mdy Mch 31, 1891 inclosed in your communication of the 31. ult, has been received, properly indorsed, and forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury, no personal credit to be given you in your Bullion accounts, and the amount to be covered into the Treasury as a miscellaneous receipt

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director.

(Ed. 7-20-'89—1,000.)

1239

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
April. 1. 1891

E. O. Leech
Director.

Received & forwarded
C/D. no. 7890. $68.00
"Special Assays"

RECEIVED
APR 2 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

No. 108.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1891.

O C Bosbyshell Esq
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia

Sir:

C. D. No. 7891 for $ 1.73, being on account of Parting & Refining charges. Fr ending Sept. 30. 1890. inclosed in your communication of the 31 ult, has been received, properly indorsed, and forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury, ~~~~ personal credit to be given you in your Bullion accounts, and the amount to be covered into the Treasury to the credit of the appropriation for parting & refining bullion.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director.

(Ed. 7-20-'89—1,000.)

1240

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
April 1. 1891.

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Received and forwarded
C.D. no. 7891 & 1.73.—
"Parting & Refining
Charges"

RECEIVED
APR 2 1891

No. 108.

Treasury Department,

BAB

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1891.

O C Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. U.S. Mint
Philadelphia

Sir:

C. D. No. 7892 for $ 81.41, being on account of Alloy charges Br mdy Mch 31. 1891, inclosed in your communication of the 31. ult., has been received, properly indorsed, and forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury, ~~~~ personal credit to be given you in your Bullion accounts, and the amount to be covered into the Treasury as a miscellaneous receipt

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director.

(Ed. 7-20-'89—1,000.)

1241

Treasury Department,
Washington, D. C.
April 1. 1891

E. O. Leech,
Director.

Received and forwarded
C/D. no. 7892 - $81.41
"Alloy charges"

RECEIVED
APR 2 1891

No. 108.

Treasury Department,

BFB

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1891.

O C Bosbyshell Esq
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia

Sir:

C. D. No. 7893 for $ 4267.53, being on account of Parting & Refining charges For endg Mch 31. 1891 inclosed in your communication of the 31. ult, has been received, properly indorsed, and forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury, ~~~ personal credit to be given you in your Bullion accounts, and the amount to be covered into the Treasury to the credit of the appropriation for parting & refining bullion.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director.

(Ed. 7-20-'89—1,000.)

1242

Treasury Department
Washington, D.C.
April 1. 1891.

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Received & forwarded
C/Dr. No. 7893. $42.267.53
"Parting & Refining
Charges."

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APR 2 1891
U.S. MINT, S.F.

(Form 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1st, 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Handy & Harman	300000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9874
Handy & Harman	75000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9880
Heidelbach Ichelheimer & Co	20000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9880
American Exchange		Ounces, at	$
National Bank	81000	Ounces, at	$ 0.9880
	476000	Ounces, at	$

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90 -1,000.)

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Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

April 1, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
APR 2 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. 138.

Treasury Department,

F.P.J. BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 1st, 1891.

Sir:

The transfer of Thomas J Lappin from the position of Helper in the Refiner's department of your institution, and appointment as an Assistant in the General department, at a compensation of $ 1,00 per diem, submitted in your communication of the 31st ultimo, is hereby approved, to take effect from the date he assumes his new duties vice J. B. Baldwin, promoted.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

A. A. Boshyshell Esq

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 12-28-'80—1,000.]

1231

Bureau of the Mint,

April 1, 1891

E. O. Leech

Director.

approving the transfer and appointment of Thos. J. Lappin Helper as an Asst. in the Coiners department.

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APR 2 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

SOLE AGENTS FOR
ALL APPLIANCES FOR THE
EDISON ELECTRIC LIGHT
IN THE
CITY OF PHILADELPHIA.

STATEMENT.

Philadelphia, Pa. April 1 1891

United States Mint

To The Edison Electric Light Co. of Philadelphia, Dr.

TERMS, CASH.

1891			
May 8	[illegible]	6.77	
" 10	" "	9.44	
			15.71

Philadelphia, APR 1 1891 *18*

Received from MORRIS, WHEELER & CO.

on board

for Mint of the United States

for

Mark

Wt. 503

5 Bars of Iron. Fee

Bundles of Iron.

Plates of Iron.

Bars of Steel.

Bundles of Steel.

Kegs of Rivets.

Kegs of Nails.

Kegs of Spikes.

Boxes Bolts and Nuts.

Boxes Horse Shoe Nails.

DUPLICATE

Recd 4/2/91

James E. MacLean

Carter, Customs

4-2-91

32½

232½

520

BILLS ARE RENDERED MONTHLY FOR ACCOUNTS DUE OR NOT DUE.

Folio 534

Philadelphia, April 1st 1891

Mr. W. D. Mint

To Murrell Dobbins, Dr.

OFFICE—110 SOUTH SIXTH STREET,—LEDGER BUILDING.

BRICK YARDS:

Long Lane and Mifflin Street, 23rd and Passyunk Road, } PHILADELPHIA.

KINKORA, Delaware River, above Florence, N. J.

FLORENCE BRICK WORKS AND CLAY BANKS, FLORENCE, N. J.

Telephone No. 4730

Jasper & Chestnut

Mch	30/31	1500 Dk. Stretchers	13 00			1950
		Order # 1222 & 1229				

BILLS ARE RENDERED MONTHLY FOR ACCOUNTS DUE OR NOT DUE.

Folio ..... Philadelphia, April 1 189 1

Mr. W. D. Mount

To Murrell Dobbins, Dr.

OFFICE—110 SOUTH SIXTH STREET,—LEDGER BUILDING.

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Telephone No. 4730

Juniper & Chestnut

Mar	29/31	1500 W. A. Hutchins	13.00		1950
		Orders # 1222 & 1279			

CHEMICALS
AND
APPARATUS
FOR
EXPERIMENTAL,
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Chemical and Assay.
APPARATUS
FOR
BLOWPIPE
AND
VOLUMETRIC
ANALYSIS.
ASSAY
AND
PHARMACEUTICAL
APPARATUS.

Philadelphia, Apl. 1st. 1891

Mint of U. S. — Assayer

BOUGHT OF

Bullock & Crenshaw,

DRUGGISTS, CHEMISTS AND IMPORTERS.

528 Arch Street.

Terms—Cash.

10	lbs. Protoxide Lead	08		80
5	" Chl'd Ammonia, gran.	15		75
				1 55

J.W.

#1245

127

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

Philadelphia, April 1st 1891

M. Mint of the United States

Juniper & Chestnut St

TERMS, CASH WITH EXCHANGE ON PHILA.

To WM. HEATON, Dr.

707 MARKET ST.,

Rubber Goods of every description.

1891

Mch	17	As per Bill rendered.	$	3	38	

It is my custom to render a Statement, as above, to my customers on or before the first of each month of all purchases made from me, whether such accounts are due or not.

Please examine the above account, and if not correct, advise me immediately.

For such amount as may be due, (if any), I would be obliged for an early remittance.

All overdue items will be subject to bank draft on the 10th of the current month, unless otherwise advised.

Very Respectfully,

463

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

Philadelphia, 4/1 1891

United States Mint

Juniper & Chestnut Sts

In Account with

THE GOODWIN GAS-STOVE AND METER COMPANY,

NOS. 1012-18 FILBERT STREET, PHILA.,

113 CHAMBERS ST., NEW YORK.
44 & 46 DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO.

TERMS CASH 30 DAYS.

Jany 29	To Stoves	$ —

Letter Sent Apr 7/91

Woodward

4-1-1891

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 2nd, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

H. C. Harper

One (1) Bale 8 z. 29" Duck. (distribution of minor coin)

Approved
James E. MacLane
Custodian

Wm. J. McCowan.
Storekeeper

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 12510

Approved: April 2nd, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 2d, 189 1.

Sir: E Rohl

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

80 - feet 1/2 in Ceiling Brass as per verbal order

Please send by mail

James E. MacLean
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1248

Approved: April 2nd, 1891.

O. C. Bierhalter

Superintendent.

FORM 130 B.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Melter and Refiner's Office, April 2nd, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Department, viz:

1 Load of Oak Charcoal
1 " " Pine "

Boyd
Melter and Refiner.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-14-'87—1,000.]

FORM 130 B.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Melter and Refiner's Requisition for Supplies, No. 1247

Approved: April 2nd, 1891.

O. H. Burbyne

Superintendent.

J. V. CLARKE, *President*. HAMILTON B. DOX, *Cashier*. J. V. CLARKE, JR., *Ass't Cashier*.

Hibernian Banking Association,

Chicago, April 2 1891

Director of the Mint,
Philadelphia.
Dear Sir

Would you kindly inform me the year in which the United States government first coined silver dollars with the present die upon them & oblige

Yours obedient
Arthur H. Mayer

c/o Hibernian Bank. Assn.
Chicago
Ill.

1281

Chicago. Ill.
April 2. 1891

Arthur H. Mayer

Asks the year the
Silver Dollar were
first coined.
with the mint-die

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York April 2 1891

Jas. O. C. Bosbyshell Esqr.
Chile.
Dear Sir.
We have shipped you today per Adams Express Co. through the Am Ex. Nat. Bank
97 Bars Silver : 101.106.70 ozs as per enclosed invoice which kindly apply to complete our sale of 300m ozs @ 98.74 April 1st. -
Please omit no pounds can of Am. Ex Nat Bank
Yours resp.
Handy & Harman

1278

New York
April 2. 1890

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
APR 3 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., ~~April 2, 1891.~~, 189

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:

This will introduce Mr. E. C. Carter, recently appointed a watchman in your institution.

Please give him as pleasant duties as the business of the mint and the interest of the public service will permit.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

1260

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
April. 2. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

I introduce Mr E.C. Carter recently appointed Watchman in the Mint.

RECEIVED
APR 6 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

TREASURER'S OFFICE—FORM 1.
Cashier.—12-3-'90—1,000.

ADVICE OF REMITTANCE.

2

Treasury of the United States,

Washington, April 7, 1891.

Supt. Mint U.S.
Philadelphia
Pa.

Sir:

I forward this day by Express $2400.
in uncurrent Minor Coin, Contained in 11 bags
as follows $245. in 1¢ nickel pieces
155. " 1¢ bronze "
230. " 2¢ " "
1248. " 3¢ nickel "
500. " 5 " "
22 " Coppers

Respectfully yours,

J. A. Houston
Treasurer U. S.

4/3/91

1249a.

Treasurer, U. S.
Washington D.C.
April. 2. 1891

B. Huston
Treasr. S.

Sends $ 2.400 in
Uncurrent minor
Coin.

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APR 2 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 2, 1891.

Sir:

Requisition has this day been made upon the Printer for blank

Weekly Clerks report of bullion received on Treasury Purchases

Abstract Clerks report " " " "

and as requested in your letter of the 1st inst, 1,500

copies each *will be mailed you as soon as received.*

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

O. C. Bolyhell Esq

Supt U.S. Mint

Philadelphia

[Ed. 1-13-'81—1,000.]

1245

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
April. 2. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Requisition made upon
Public Printer for
"Weigh Clerk's report of
Bullion received
on Treasury Purchases.
Abstract Clerk's Report.
" "

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APR 3 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 2, *1891.*

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of April, *1891, and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Del. #76	2.00
TOTAL	$2.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1246

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 2, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of April, 1891.

RECEIVED,
APR 3 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

P

Washington, D. C., April 2, 189 1.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintenment Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

You will please cause one million silver dollars to be coined at your Mint during the month of April.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

1247

Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
April. 2. 1891

E. O. Leech
Director.
One million Silver Dollars
to be coined in April.

RECEIVED
APR 3 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

1248

Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
April 2. 1891.
E. O. Leech.
Director.

"Look this over with Mr Barber & return with suggestions

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APR 3 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Apr 2, 1891.

Dear Colonel -

Please look this over with Mr. Barber and return it by tomorrow evening's mail, with any suggestions, — pro & con suggestions

Yours

E. O. L.

Had we better include the 50¢ piece.

Meriam & Morgan Paraffine Co.

J. B. MERIAM, Pres't. & Treas. ⚜ WM. MORGAN, V. Pres't. & Sup't.

OFFICE, 551 SENECA STREET,

GOLD PRESSED PARAFFINE OIL,
REFINED PARAFFINE WAX,
PARAFFINE WAX CANDLES,
PARAGON AXLE GREASE.

Cleveland, O. Apr 3 1891

O. C. Bosbyshell Supt
U. S. Mint

Dear Sir,

I have had made to me an offer of sale for an 1878 Bland Dollar 7 feathers in the eagle's tail three leaves on the end of the branch that is held by the eagle ie it looks something like this instead of (or three bunches of 3 leaves each)

Will you kindly inform me whether this coin bearing the 3 leaves only; was an error in the regular issue or simply a pattern piece of rejected design - Your answer will oblige. The piece is to be sold soon and I desire to know as soon as possible or I will lose chance. Yours Resp'y

Giles V. Anderson

1290

Cleveland. O.
April 3. 1891

G. R. Anderson

Asks whether Bland
Dollar of 1878 bearing 3
leaves only was an error
in issue or pattern piece

RECEIVED
Apl 7 1891

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 3d, 1891.

Sir: Rufus R. Thomas

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

12 or 14 feet walnut article
7/8" wide – as per sketch attached
to order

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1254

Approved: April 3rd, 189 1.

for Superintendent.

FORM 130 C.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Assayer's Office, April 3, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Department, viz:

Washing 13 doz towels

Jacob B. Eckfeldt

Assayer.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-9-'80—1,000.]

130 C.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Assayer's Requisition for Supplies

No 12,55

Approved: Apr. 3, 1881.

for *Superintendent.*

MATTHEW GERING,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW.
SHERWOOD BLOCK.

PLATTSMOUTH, NEB. April 3 189 1

Treasurer U. S.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

Can I procure from the Treasurers office 5 or 6 trade dollars of the year 1877. Will either purchase them or deposit money to guarantee their return in June, 1891

With sentiments of respect I am

Very Truly
Matthew Gering

G.101

RECEIVED APR 6 1891 TREASURY

Gering. Matthew
Plattsmouth. Neb.
Apl 3/91

Desires to procure
5 or 6 Trade dollars
of year 1877.

Treasury of the U.S.,
April 6, 1891.

Respectfully returned to the writer, with the information that there are no trade dollars in the custody of this office.

It is suggested that any correspondence on this subject should be addressed to the Superintendent U.S. Mint, Philadelphia, Pa.

Asst. Treasurer U.S.

CHIEF CLERK

MATTHEW GERING,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW.
SHERWOOD BLOCK.

PLATTSMOUTH, NEB. April 14 189

The Honorable
The Supt U.S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Sir:

I enclose herewith letter written to, and reply received from the US Treasurer. If you can procure for me without inconvenience 5 or 6 trade dollars. 1877 will remit for same or give bond for their return in June.

Believe me to be sir

Very Respectfully
Matthew Gering

1354

Plattsmouth. Neb.
April 14. 1891

Matthew Gering

Wants 5 or 6 Trade Dollars
of 1877.
Enclosed letter from Asst
Treas U. S.

RECEIVED
APR 18 1891
U.S. MINT, CHICAGO

Referred to Scott Stamp + Coin Co
M.C.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 3d, 1891.

Sir: E. A. Stelle

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One doz. Brass hooks & Eyes
One hank of Sash Cord.
3. Key Rings (Delinus –)

S. Heim

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 12056

Approved: April 3rd, 189 1.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 3d, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One Load Sharp Sand
for use in laying Cement floor

Please Telephone for above required to-day (Friday)

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1252

Approved: April 3rd, 1891.

P C Boyle

Superintendent.

FORM 130 B.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Melter and Refiner's Office, Apr 3d, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Department, viz:

16 Empty Bbls

D. K. Tuttle

Melter and Refiner.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-14-'87—1,000.]

FORM 130 B.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Melter and Refiner's Requisition for Supplies, No. 1253

Approved: April 3rd, 1881.

Superintendent.

Mat Shop

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Wm Sellers & Co April 3rd, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One (1) Pattern, and Brass casting from the Same, as per Blue Print

Lewis James
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(FORM 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1251

Approved: April 3rd, 189 1.

Superintendent.

J. S. Chick, President.
W. H. Chick, Vice President.
№ 3489.
W. F. Sargent, 2nd Asst Cashier.
W. J. Anderson, Cashier.
F. N. Chick, Ass't Cashier.

National Bank of Kansas City

CAPITAL $1000.000.00

St Louis Bank Note Co.

Kansas City, Mo. Nov 3rd 1891

Superintendent
of Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir
Will you
kindly have an expert
pass on the enclosed coin
(one dollar, silver) and send
us his opinion returning
the coin or what is
left of it after you have
examined it.

Wm Stonger
Receiving teller

1284

Kansas City. Mo.
April 3. 1891

Nat Bank of Kansas City

Enclases Coin for examination.

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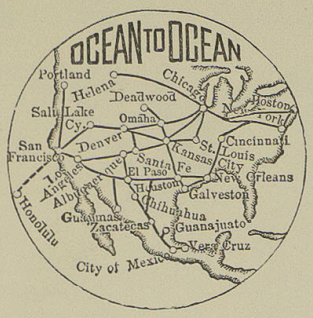
U. S. MINT, PHILA.



Wells Fargo & Company's Bank,

63 Broadway, NEW YORK.

April 3, 1891.

Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:--

Herewith we hand you invoice of twenty-nine bars containing 30,933.80 ounces fine silver to cover a portion of the sale of 110,000 ounces at .9835 made by us this day.

Kindly remit us by return mail, a check for the largest amount you are at liberty to advance on this purchase, and oblige,

Yours truly,

H. B. Parsons, Asst. Secy.

per [illegible]

1279

New York.
April 3. 1891

Wells. Fargo & Co.

Ship Silver.

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U.S. MINT, PHILA.

J. E. SCHWARTZ, PRESIDENT.
ROB^T WARDROP, TREASURER.
B. W. DOYLE, SECRETARY.
F. C. BLAKE, SUPERINTENDENT.

Address all communications to the Company.

Pennsylvania Lead Company.

61 FOURTH AVENUE,

Pittsburgh, April 3 1891

Mr. O. C. Bosbyshell
Supt. U. S. Mint.
Philadelphia.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly send us at your convenience three or four ounces of your proof silver which we can have for a standard. Please state whether it is absolutely fine or not. Render bill to Pennsylvania Lead Co

Yours very Truly
George Fauncz
Supt.

1280

Pittsburgh - Pa.
April 3. 1891

Penna Lead Co.

Requests 3 or 4 ozs proof Silver Sent. & whether it is absolutely fine.

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APR 4 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

Boston, Mass., April 3, 1891.

Superintendent
U. S. Mint
Phila. Pa

Sir:

I forward to you this day by the U. S. Express Company in full for Transfer order #19333. uncurrent minor coins as follows:

Keg #1	5¢	Nickel	790.-	$1390.
	3¢	"	600.-	
" 2	3¢	"		1662.
" 3	2¢	Bronze		465.
" 4	2¢	"	100.-	
	1¢	Nickel	245.-	345.
" 5	1¢	"	250.-	
	Large	Copper	21	271.-
" 6	1¢	Bronze		415.-
				$4.548.-

6 Kegs.

Respectfully

[illegible]
Asst Treas U. S.

1257c

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

BOSTON, MASS.,

April 3, 1891

M. T. Kennan

Assistant Treasurer U. S.

Sends in full for
J. O. no. 19338. –
Uncurrent Minor
Coin.

RECEIVED
APR 4 1891

No. of Enclosures,

(No. 137.)

Treasury Department,

F.P.J. BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 3rd, 1891.

Sir:

The appointment of E. C. Carter as a Night Watchman in the General department of your institution, at a compensation of $ 2.75 per diem, submitted in your communication of the 2nd instant is hereby approved, to take effect from the date of ~~vice~~ his oath of office.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leach

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa

(Ed. 1-22-'90—1,000.)

I have notified him.

1250

Bureau of the Mint,

April 3, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

approving the appointment

of E. C. Carter.

as a "Night Watchman"

RECEIVED
APR 4 1891

Form 94.

P

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT.

Washington, D. C., April 3, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.
Supt U.S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following Telegram sent you to-day is hereby made official, viz:

Reduce purchasing rate of silver to ninety-eight cents per ounce fine immediately.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 9-5-'90—1,500.)

1251

Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
April. 3. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Telegram made Official.

Reduce purchasing rate of silver to 98 per ounce fine.

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APR 4 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(Form 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 3, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of April, 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Std. "77	2.00
2 ½ " " "78	1.00
Total	$3.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1253

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 3, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of April, 1891.

U. S. MINT, PHILA.
APR 4 1891
RECEIVED

No. of Inclosures,

(FORM 230.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 3, 1891.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Wells Fargo & Co	110000	Ounces, at $ 0.9835
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $ 0.9820
Handy & Harman	50000	Ounces, at $ 0.9825
Handy & Harman	50000	Ounces, at $ 0.9830
Handy & Harman	50000	Ounces, at $ 0.98375
Const Kansas City S & R Co	30000	Ounces, at $ 0.9830
	315000	

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esqr

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia

(Ed. 8-13-'90—1,000.)

1252

Form 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

April 3, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
APR 4 1891
U.S. MINT, WASH.

Gentlemen: We have the honor to inform you that we have purchased the following quantities of fine silver at the prices specified:

30000	22	0
25000	22	3/8
25000	22	3/8
25000	22	0
25000	22	0
12000	22	0
110000	22	0

Respectfully yours,

Director.

Messrs. Kuhn, Loeb & Co.
Messrs. Lazard Freres
Messrs. Speyer & Co.
Messrs. Seligman Bros.
Messrs. Hallgarten & Co.
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No. 170.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 3, 1891.

A. C. Bashystell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

I transmit herewith the Assayer's report upon assay coins taken from the first and two subsequent deliveries in each week at your Mint during the Month of March, 1891, *and forwarded for test as prescribed by the Regulations.*

The coins were found to be within the legal limits of tolerance.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 2-2-'88—500.]

1254

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 3, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Sends Assayers Report upon Assay Coins — March 1891.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 3, 189 .

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States at* Philadelphia, *in* March, 1891.

Denomination Dollars & Quarters

No. of Delivery.	Weight.		Fineness.		
	Grains.	Dec.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.
72	96	56		9004	
	96	25			
73	411	65		9007	
	412	30		900	
Average	411	97		9003	

Catell Whitehead

Assayer.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 2, 1891.

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States at* Philadelphia, *in* March, 1891.

Denomination S. S. Dollars.

No. of Delivery.	Weight.		Fineness.		
	Grains.	Dec.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.
68	413	04		900 4	
	412	95		899 8	
69	412	71		900 1	
	411	95		899 9	
70	412	30		900	
	413	00		900 4	
Average	412	66		900.1	

Cabell H. Lithead

Assayer.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

38 Philadelphia, April 4. 1891

Received of ALEX. FOSTER & Co.

No. of Order.	No. of Pieces.	Sizes.	Weight.
	1 Steel forging		15½ lbs
	Mr James.		

For U. States Mint

Hauled by

Recd 4/4/91

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EINWECHTER & WYETH,

DEALERS IN

Steel, Files, Blacksmiths' Tools, etc.

512 Commerce Street.

Philadelphia, April 3rd 1891

Delivered Mint of the United States

14 Bars	A. B Round Iron 5/8"	=	164 lbs.
104 Pounds	Bundle 1 x 5/8 Norway Iron		103 "
100 "	" 1/2 Rd " "		100 "
5 "	Black Hoop Iron 1"		9 "

order 1243

Custodian

Recd 4/3/91

4-3-91

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 4th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

John M. Mallory & Sons,

One Hundred (100) 3 Galls. Galv. Iron Buckets.
(for fire purposes)

Wm. J. McCowan
Storekeeper

Approved
James E. MacLean
Superintendent

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1261

Approved: April 4th, 1891.

for *Superintendent.*

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 4th, 1891.

Sir: Gotlieb Wiesinger 545 N. 2d

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

2 — 2. Bushel Baskets for charcoal as per sample

James E. MacLeod
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1262

Approved: April 4th, 1891.

E. H. Abbott for *Superintendent.*

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 4th, 1891.

Sir: Brown & Comfort

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Three (3) 1 1/2" Globe Valves Asbestos Discs
100. Plumbers Hooks

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1258

Approved: April 4th, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 4th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

300. No. 1. Fire Brick
250. Stretcher " " Headers
150. Split " "

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1259

Approved: April 4th, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 4th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One pair Tinners Hand Shears
To be sharpened

Mr Cook please give order to Jno Kier

James E MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1260

Approved: April 4, 1891.

Acting *Superintendent.*

FORM 130 C.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Assayer's Office, April 4, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Department, viz:

One pig of pure lead

Jacob B. Eckfeldt

Assayer.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-9-'80—1,000.]

130 C.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Assayer's Requisition for Supplies

No 1237

Approved: April 4th, 1891.

for *Superintendent.*

Daingerfield, Texas. April 4, 1891.

Hon. Director of the Mint,

Philadelphia, Penna.

Sir:-

I shall be much obliged for copies of any mint publications you may have for distribution — also for information as to.....

1. The goloid coinage proposed some years ago;
2. The fineness of the silver whose price is quoted daily in the market reports;
3. The customary price of gold from the mines and its fineness.

Very respectfully,

John M. Richardson.

1295

Dansgerfield, Sep.
April 4. 1891

John M. Richardson

Wants copy of Work
publication relating to
Coinage &c,

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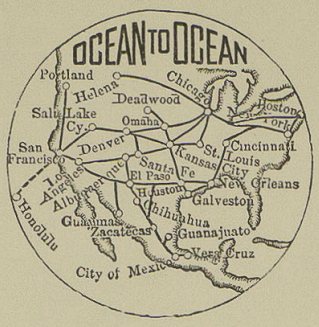
APR 8 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.



Wells Fargo & Company's Bank,

63 Broadway, NEW YORK.

April 4, 1891.

Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:--

Herewith we hand you invoice of 72 bars containing 78,748.70 ounces fine silver to complete our sale of the 3rd inst to you of 110,000 ounces at $ .9835.

Kindly send us by return mail, a check for the full amount you are at liberty to advance on this consignment, and oblige,

Yours truly,

H. B. Parsons, Asst. Secy.
per MJ

1289

New York
April 4. 1891

Wells. Fargo & Co

Ship Silver

REGISTERED
APR 6 1891

Subject: .....

Railway Mail Service,

OFFICE CHIEF CLERK,

Baltimore, Md., Apl. 4th, 1891.

~~Respectfully~~ ..... to

Supt. Mint
Phila Pa,

Sir — I have found 14 lbs of old Coin, (silver) French, Spanish, Mexican, English etc, I want to sell, or exchange for Currency. What is the very best disposition to make of it, Brokers want it for 50 cts for oz — Its not enough —

Resp. Yours.
S. G. Burdett

Chief Clerk.

~~PLEASE RETURN PAPERS.~~

(367—10,000.)

1288

Baltimore. Md
April 4. 1891

S. G. Burdett

Wants to dispose of old Cans.

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APR 6 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 & NASSAU ST.

New York April 4th 1891

Mr. W. Bosbyshell Supt.
Philad.

Dear Sir

The Penna Lead Co. will ship you direct today 50.000 ozs for our account which kindly apply as follows

25.000 ozs to cover balce sale 50m @ 98 25/

25.000 ozs % sale 50m ozs @ 98.50

both sales made April 3rd

You should receive this silver early Monday morning.

Kindly mail us pounds care of Am Exchange Nat. Bank

Yours resp.
Handy & Harman

1286

New York
April 4, 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

APR 6 1891

WILLIAM SMITH, PRESIDENT,
JOHN W. VROOMAN, VICE PRES'T,
GENERAL MANAGER.

S. W. LINTS, CASHIER.
W. I. TABER, ASS'T CASHIER.

Herkimer Bank.

ORGANIZED 1868.
INCORPORATED 1885.

Herkimer, N.Y. Apr. 4 1891

A. E. Boshyshell, Supt.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find N.Y. Dft. $600.00,
Please send $500.00 in Dimes,
and 100.00 " Nickels,

Yours Resp'y,
S. W. Lints.
Cashier.

1285

Herkimer. N. Y.
April 4. 1891

Herkimer Bank

Enclose draft $600. for
returns in Dimes & Nickels

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APR 6 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman.

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P.O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York April 4th 1891

Mr. O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today per Adams Express Co. through the Adams Express Co.

23 Bars Silver = 24.640.70 ozs.
% sale April 3rd of 25m ozs @ 98 20

23 Bars Silver = 25.426.95 ozs
% sale April 3rd of 50m @ 98 25

49 Bars Silver = 49.932 20 ozs
% sale April 3rd of 50m @ 98 3/8.

as per Enclosed invoices which please remit care of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours respy
Handy & Harman

1287

New York
April 4. 1891

Handy & Harman
Ship Silver

APR 6 1891

Philadelphia,
874 North 6th Street.
April 4th 1891

Gen M. Kerwin

Dear Sir

Your Sister Miss Lizzie has placed herself under my treatment for Nasal Catarrh, & a distressing derangement of her nervous system.

Although much improved, she is so far from well, as to require for her perfect recovery not only judicious medication, but the most favorable surroundings, & the best hygienic conditions that can be secured for her. My object in addressing you at present, is to advise you to use your influence with Col Bosbyshell of the U. S. Mint to have

your sister transferred from the apartment where she is now employed, to another called the Sewing Room.

The reason for this is, that the former is excessively heated, imperfectly ventilated, & contains occupants sufficiently numerous to vitiate the atmosphere, while the latter is in every respect in much better sanitary condition.

It is but an act of simple justice to say, that the partial improvement in your sisters condition above noted, is partly due to the time for rest and recuperation very kindly allowed her by your generous friend Col Bosbyshell.

Respectfully
O. Osler

United States Internal Revenue,

Collector's Office, 2nd District, New York,

April 4th, 1891.

Col. O. B. Bosbyshell,

Superintendent, U. S. Mint, Philadelphia, Pa.,

My Dear Colonel:-

Some time ago you were kind enough to appoint to a psoition in the mint Miss L. R. Kerwin, whose health I now learn is in a very delicate state. Her doctor writes me that her condition can be much improved if transferred to what is known as the "sewing room," where the ventilation is better.

Will you place me under additional obligations to you by making the transfer, if it can be possibly done ? Should this change prove ineffectual I shall then advise her to resign.

Very sincerely yours,

[illegible]

1282

No. .....

Collector of Internal Revenue, ... District, N. Y.

Genl. M. Kerwin

April 4, 1891.

SUBJECT:

Asks to have Miss Kerwin transferred to Sewing room.

RECEIVED
APR 6 1891

No. of Inclosures, ...

Officers of Internal Revenue must fill out the endorsement and brief on the back of each letter to the Department.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 4, 1891.

P

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

You will please cause to be struck and forwarded to this Bureau as early as practicable the following gold Army Marksmanship medal, viz.,

One First Prize Department Marksmanship Medal, to be supplied with pin, case, etc., transmitting the same with your account receipted in duplicate to this Bureau.

X As this medal is to replace one lost in transportation, it is desired that it be furnished as early as practicable.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

1375

Treasury Department
Washington D.C.
April. 4. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Have struck and forward to Bureau one first prize Department Markmanship Medal. "as early as practicable."

RECEIVED
APR 6 1891

Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

April 4 1891.

Hon. J. N. Huston

Treasurer U. S.

Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I will thank you for the number of T.O. for shipment of Minor Coin ($2.400) advised as shipped this Mint for recoinage Apr. 2. inst.

Very Respectfully

[illegible]

Acting Superintendent

1265

RECEIVED, APR 6 1891 A.M. TREASURER

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Mint of the U. S. at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

April 4, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell

Superintendent.

SUBJECT:

Asking No. of T.O. for shipment of Minor Coin Apr. 2. for recoinage.

X 2.400

Treasury of the U.S.,
April 6,1891.

Respectfully returned.
The number of Transfer Order referred to herein is 19345.

J. W. Phelps

Asst. Treasurer U.S.

No. of Inclosures, 0

ACCOUNTS

Recd. April 7. 1891

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

Philadelphia, Pa., April 4, 1891.

Hon. O. S. Bosbyshell,

Superintendent U.S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:-

In accordance with Transfer Order No.19347, I this day send you by U. S. Express the following, viz:

7 bags	1¢ coppers	$ 140.		
8 do.	1¢ nickel	600.		
4 do.	1¢ bronze	300.		
10 do.	2¢ bronze	940.		
6 do.	3¢ nickel	1920.		
1 bag	5¢ do.	200.	$4.100.	
36 bags.				

Respectfully yours,

Louis A. Walters

Assistant Treasurer U.S.

12570a

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

April 4, 1891.

Louis R. Walters

Assistant Treasurer U. S.

SUBJECT:

On T.U. no. 19347.
sends minor coins

No. of Inclosures,

Recd April 4. 1891

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

BFB

Washington, D. C., April 4, 1891., 189

Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Herewith enclosed, your Statement of Earnings and Expenditures for the Quarter ending Sept., 30, 1890, for correction, in accordance with your communication of 3rd., instant.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

1258

Treasury Department.
Washington, D.C.
April 4. 1891.

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Enclosed, Statement of Earnings & Expenditures for quarter ending September 30, 1890 for correction, —

RECEIVED
APR 6 1891

5,000-12-88

No. _____ Philadelphia 4/6 1891.

Received from WM. SELLERS & CO., Incorporated, Engineers,

In good order,

1 - 18" × 20" Pulley in halves (31625).

10 - bolts for above & Key.

16 - 3/4" hook bolts. (31627).

6 - Sets levers & stands (31628)

For M. S. Ulmit.

Recd. 4/6/91

Recd. Apl. 6th 1891 of
The National Fire Brick
& Clay Retort works
300 Fire Brick No 1. Sqs.
250 " " Skewback Heading
150 " " Split

Schimpf

Recd 4/6/91

EINWECHTER & WYETH,

DEALERS IN

Steel, Files, Blacksmiths' Tools, etc.

512 Commerce Street.

Philadelphia, April 6 1891

Delivered Mint of the United States

5 lbs Copper Rivets Sample

Recd 4/6/91

order 1265

Custodian

EINWECHTER & WYETH,

DEALERS IN

Steel, Files, Blacksmiths' Tools, etc.

512 Commerce Street.

Philadelphia, April 6th 1891

Received

62 Sheets Plain Annealed Copper 30½ inches by 25 inches No 21 Gauge

408 lbs

Recd 4/6/91

order 1209
Custodian.

H. B. Keller
Mushe

EINWECHTER & WYETH,

DEALERS IN

Steel, Files, Blacksmiths' Tools, etc.

512 Commerce Street.

Philadelphia, April 6th 1891

Received

21 Bars 1" Rund Machinery Steel 8 6 lbs

Order Handed to Driver

order S. James

Phone

Rec'd 4/6/91

1263

EINWECHTER & WYETH,

DEALERS IN

Steel, Files, Blacksmiths' Tools, etc.

512 Commerce Street.

Philadelphia, April 6th 1891

Received

1 Pig of Pure Lead

order 1257
Assayer

recd 4/6/91

89 lbs

4-6-91

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 6th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One Keg 10d Nails

James E. MacLand
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1268

Approved: April 6th, 1894.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 6th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

5 pounds Copper Rivets
as per sample

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 12651

Approved: April 6th, 1891.

[illegible] for *Superintendent.*

FORM 130 D.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 1, 1891.

To the Superintendent.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Sixty (60) Cords Oak Wood, for April

W. S. Steel Coiner.

B

(Ed. 6-12-'88—2,000.)

FORM 130 D.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Coiner's Requisition for Supplies, No. 1267

Approved: April 6th, 1891.

[illegible] for *Superintendent.*

Mch Shop

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Einwechter & Smith April 6th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Two (2) Bars of 1" Round Mch Steel

James Jones
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1263

Approved: Apr. 6, 1891.

for *Superintendent.*

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 6th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One Ton Bituminous Coal
for Blacksmiths use

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1264

Approved: April 6th, 1891.

Superintendent.

ESTABLISHED 1823.

WOOD, BROWN & CO.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS, NOTIONS ETC.

MARKET STREET NEAR NINTH.

P. O. LOCK BOX 1564.

Philadelphia April 6th/91

W. W. Webb,
Chief Clerk R.R.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your favor in regard to lost Bale Duck, delivered Our Mr McCormick will call tomorrow if possible and should he not get there in time will be there Wednesday morning, – and see you.

I am in haste
Your Respty,
Wm. R. Harper,

1294

Phila.
April 6. 1891

Henry C. Harper

Will call tomorrow or Wednesday in reference to Bale Wheel.

RECEIVED
APR 7 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P.O. Box, 2442.

52 & NASSAU ST.

New York April 6th 1891

Mr. O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Chile
Dear Sir.
We are advised of the shipment from the Grama Lead Co's Works. of 49 Bars Silver which kindly apply as follows,
24 Bars #140/163 = 24.885.50 % sale 5.50 = 98.25
25 " #164/188 = 25.213.75 % " 5.50 = 98.50
as per invoices enclosed
Check remit pounds care of Am Exchange Nat. Bank
Yours respy
Henry Harman

1293

New York
April 6. 1891

Handy & Harman
Ship Silver

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APR 7 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

ELECTRIC
Front Door Bells,
Burglar Alarms and Call Bells.

All WORK WARRANTED to Give Satisfaction.

ELECTRIC
House Annunciators
AND
GAS LIGHTING APPARATUS.

Incandescent Electric Light Wiring a Specialty.

E. D. WEBER,

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER AND CONTRACTOR.

CENTRAL HOTEL.

Easton, Pa. April 6th 1891

Dear Sir

Will you please inform me as to the value of a coin as follows whether it is worth more than its face value or not.

a half dollar silver
date — 1817.
fifty cents or half a dollar around outside edge
seven stars on one side of face
six " " opposite side of face
crown on head and the word Liberty on
American Eagle on opposite side.
E Pluribus unum
50 c on bottom.

Please answer on postal card enclosed and oblige.

Respectfully yours
E. D. Weber.
Bethlehem.

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Easton. Pa.
April 6. 1891

E. D. Weber

Asks value of Half-Dollar of 1817

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

FORM 130 D.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 6, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz: For the Cabinet.

A full set of U. S. proof coins.
To be obtained from the Medal Clerk at face value. $39.41.

R. A. McClure
Curator

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-7-'83—2,000.]

FORM 130 D.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1266

Approved: April 6th, 1891.

Superintendent.

U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1891 / APRIL (CONT.)

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THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,

128 BROADWAY,

GEO. S. COE, President.
DUMONT CLARKE, Vice-President.
EDWARD BURNS, Cashier.

NEW YORK, April 6, 1891

Hon. Supt. U. S. Mint,

Philadel hia, Pa.,

Dear Sir:

We send you herewith invoice of 24,706.50# ounces of silver shipped you to-day in accordance with the acceptance by the Director of the Mint of our offer to him of this Lot at .9835.

Very respectfully,

(W) Cashier

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New York
April 6. 1891

American Ex. Nat. Bank

Ship Silver

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APR 7 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

BOSTON·ATHLETIC·ASSOCIATION
EXETER STREET.

Superintendent
U. S. Mint
Phila Penn.

Sir,

It has been my custom to get a silver set of proofs for the last few years in November or December. I have recently seen a newspaper item, that the present Dollar, known as the Bland Dollar would

not be coined after July 1891 and that the design on the quarters and halves is to be changed.

Will you have the kindness to inform me what I should do in order to get proofs of all the coins coined in 1891, up to and including the Dollar piece. Will it be sufficient for me to send to the mint in December as I have in the past or should I send for a set in July and again for another in December. As I do not trade in coins but simply get them for my own satisfaction I do not care to get a quantity, all I wish bring one sample or proof piece of each of the different coins issued by the Mint in each year, and this time in 1891—

Also I possess a few "pattern pieces", I believe that is what they are called. If there is an opportunity to procure more I would be glad to be

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informed how, or what I should do, as I believe they are not sold by the Mint in the same manner as the regular Silver Proof sets. —

Respectfully

J. P. R. Sherman

Boston. Mass

J. P. R. Sherman P. O. Box 3289

Asks how to get full sets of Proof Coins. & pattern prices.

RECEIVED
APR 6 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

FORM NO. 230.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 6th, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq.
Superintendent U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Zimmerman & Forshay	10000	Ounces, at $ 0.9827
Zimmerman & Forshay	10000	Ounces, at $ 0.9830
Zimmerman & Forshay	10000	Ounces, at $ 0.9834
Consl Kansas City S & R Co	24000	Ounces, at $ 0.9830
Consl Kansas City S & R Co	20000	Ounces, at $ 0.9835
Handy & Harman	25000	Ounces, at $ 0.9835
American Exchange		Ounces, at $
National Bank	24700	Ounces, at $ 0.9835
	397,00	Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 1-2-'91—1,000.]

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FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

April 6, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
APR 7 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

United States Internal Revenue,

Collector's Office, ... *District, N. Y.,*

April 6, 1891

My Dear Col.

Enclosed please find letter of W. Osler, which explains more fully the matter I wrote you about on Saturday. Please do the best you can and greatly oblige

Sincerely Yours

Clemmin

Col O. B. Bobyshell.
Supr. U.S. Mint

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APR 7 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 7th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One Load Bar Sand
Five Buckets White Sand

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1273

Approved: April 7th, 189 1.

Superintendent.

Mch Shop

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

The De Witt Wire Cloth Co April 7th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

90 feet of wire cable, Rzi as per Sample

Thos Jones
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1271

Approved: Apr. 7, 1891.

Atwood for *Superintendent.*

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 7th, 189[illegible].

Sir: George Alcorn

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz: Hauling for the Month of March /91/

93. Loads dirt and Ashes
Delivering Oil Furnace to P.R.R. Depot

James E. MacLure
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1270

Approved: April 7th, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Apr. 7, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

1 Crane's Atlas U.S.

Chief Clerk

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1272

Approved: Apr. 7, 1891.

Acting *Superintendent.*

Mat Shop

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Mr. Lucas to Imp. April 7th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Two (2) Small Emery wheels for Drill Grinder

Cost. 65¢ Ea

Sam'l James
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1269

Approved: April 7th, 1891.

Superintendent.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 7, 1891.

A. C. Boshysell Esq.
Superintendent Mint U. S.,
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of April, 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
2 S.S. Dollars Lot. #81	2.00

TOTAL $2.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech
Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 7, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of April, 1891

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

P

Washington, D. C., April 7, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

Referring to your letter of the 6th instant, requesting an advance of Treasury notes to pay for local purchases of silver over the counter, I call your attention to the fact that your cashier's statement shows a balance of $212,448.69 in Treasury notes standing to your credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at Philadelphia, which has remained unchanged for some time past. You will use this in making payment for local purchases by giving checks against the same.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

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Treasury Department.
Washington. D.C.
April. 7. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Relative to Letter of 6th inst. requesting an advance of Treasury notes to pay for local purchases over the counter.

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APR 8 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

ALEX. FOSTER,
JAS. CULLEN.

FAIRMOUNT STEEL WORKS.

Philadelphia, April 7, 1891

Mint of the United States

BOUGHT OF ALEX. FOSTER & CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF

Superior Qualities of Cast Steel, adapted for all kinds of Tools, Machinery, Car and Carriage Springs, &c.
Also, Frog Plates and Points, Sledges, Sledge Blanks, Piston Rods, Valve Stems,
Crank Pins, Slide Bars, Connecting Rods, &c.

CAST STEEL FORGINGS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS MADE TO PATTERN AT SHORT NOTICE.

Order No. 1202

TERMS CASH.

WORKS: S. E. cor. 24th St. & Pennsylvania Avenue,

OFFICE:—2325 SPRING GARDEN STREET.

1 Steel Forging 15½ lbs @ 35¢			$5.42

Rec'd 4/4/91

Shipped

4-7-91

5,000-12-88

No. _____ Philadelphia 4/8 1891

Received from WM. SELLERS & CO., Incorporated, Engineers,

In good order, 2 Emery wheels for Drill Grinder
Pointing attachment

Recd 4/8/91

For U.S. Mint

4-8-91

Mch Shop

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 8th, 1891.

Mr. Sellers & Co Insp.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Two (2) Cast iron mts for 200 lb Lifts

Lewis James
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1274

Approved: April 8th, 189 1.

Superintendent.

FORM 130 B.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Melter and Refiner's Office, April 8th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Department, viz:

1 Load of Nitric Acid — Refinery

2 Doz Stone Dippers — Ordinary a/c

Boyd

Melter and Refiner.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-14-'87—1,000.]

FORM 130 B.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Melter and Refiner's Requisition for Supplies, No. 1276 X 76

Approved: April 8, 1897.

Superintendent.

Mch Shop

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 8th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Three Window Shades, 4' wide x 7'6" long - Spring rollers

Tho. Jones
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(FORM 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1277

Approved: April 8th, 189[illegible].

[illegible] for *Superintendent.*

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 8th, 1891.

Sir: Brodie and Comfort

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Three (3) 1" Angled Valves Asbestos Disc
Twelve (12) 1" x 12" Bushings

James E. McCue Lane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1278

Approved: April 8th, 189[illegible].

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 8th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

200 ft. of wt. p. Stock Boards 12 in. wd.,
650 ft. of 1½ in. Y. p. Flooring No. 1½
1000 ft. of ½ in. Poplar Ceiling Boards

G. Heim

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1279

Approved: April 8th, 189 1.

Superintendent.

FORM 130D.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 8th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz: Express Dept –

50 – Reg Heads

H. Merriam Acting

Shipping Clerk.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-7-'83—2,000.]

FORM 130D.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1280

Approved: April 8, 1891.

Superintendent.

FORM 130 D.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 8, 1891.

To the Superintendent.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One (1) Ton Large Stove Coal.

W. S. Steel Coiner

B

(Ed. 6-12-'88—2,000.)

FORM 130 D.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Coiner's Requisition for Supplies, No. 1281

Approved: April 8th, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

August 8, 189 1.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

2 doz Cakes Camphorated Urinal Soap,

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1282

Approved: Apr. 8, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 8th, 1891.

Sir: Knickerbocker Lime Co

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

2. Barrels Calcined Plaster

Please Telephone, for use early Thursday Morning

James E. MacKenzie
Superintendent

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1283

Approved: April 8th, 1891.

for *Superintendent.*

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York April 8 1891

Mr. D. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today per Adams Express & through the Am Ex Nat. Bank 111 Bars Silver = 116.494.70 ozs as per enclosed invoice which kindly apply on our sale today of 200m ozs @ 97.99

Please credit us pounds care of Am Ex. Nat. Bank

Yours respy
Handy & Harman

1299

New York
April 8. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Lunch Counter Open on Arrival of all Passenger Trains, Day and Night.

Located Opposite the Station of the B. & O. and S. & C. Railways.

ROCKWOOD HOUSE,

D. H. Wolfersberger, Prop'r.

~~ROCKWOOD~~ Ligonier, PA., Apr. 8 1891

To the Philadelphia Mint
Philadelphia Pa.

Gents

Dear Sirs

If you are offering any premiums on coins of any kind please send me a list

And Oblige.

Yours Respy.

W. G. Lang.
Ligonier
Westmd., Co. Pa

1300

Ligonier. Pa.
April 8. 1891

W. G. Lang.

Wants list of Coins

RECEIVED
APR 10 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

SYLVENUS WALKER,
Solicitor
OF
AMERICAN AND FOREIGN
PATENTS,
89 COURT ST., BOSTON.

ATTORNEY, COUNSELOR,
AND
MECHANICAL
EXPERT
IN
PATENT CAUSES
HAS HAD
Constant Practice Since
1858.
"HONESTY IS THE BEST POLICY."

April, 8, 1891,

Director of U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.
Dear Sir:

Please send me circular relating to New Designs for Coins, as I wish to submit a design for the same, and wish for full particulars regarding what inscriptions are required by law, and others that might be adopted, if acceptable.

I have given the matter much thought and study, and hope to see the present great diversity meaningless designs obliterated, as few, or none, seem appropriate, or even artistic.

Your most humble obedient servant

S. Walker

1297

Boston Mass.
April 8. 1891

S. Walker

Wants Circular in reference to new designs for Coins.

RECEIVED
APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street,
New York, April 8th 1891

To
The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

There will be further shipments to you for our account from Omaha of 100000 ounces of silver.

Please account to us for same as usual, and oblige,

Respectfully yours,
Clark, Dodge & Co.

1298

New York
April 8. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co.

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

THE FOURTH NATIONAL BANK

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

J. EDWARD SIMMONS, PREST.
C. N. BLISS, VICE PRESIDENT.
JAS. G. CANNON, VICE PREST.
C. H. PATTERSON, CASHIER.
J. A. HILTNER, ASS'T CASHIER.

NEW YORK April 8th 1891

Hon O C Bosbyshell Supt
Philadelphia Pa

Sir: Referring to your letter of March 30th in re Power of Atty Zimmermann & Forshay, will you have the kindness to send us a printed form such as would be needed for them to sign in order to have bullion checks made payable to the Fourth National Bank.

Very Respectfully
J A Hiltner

Our idea is to file a copy with each transaction passing through our hands, which is only the case when we make loans to Zimmermann & Forshay. We do not care to have Silver offered in our name.
J A Hiltner

1296

New York
April 8. 1891

Tenth National Bank

Requests printed form
sent needed for Zimmer-
man & Lorshay to sign.

RECEIVED
APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., ~~April 8, 1891,~~ 189 .

The Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

I send you by mail to-day for distribution to sculptors and relief designers some copies of a circular asking for new designs for the silver coins of the United States.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

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Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
April. 8. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Sends for distribution to Sculptors and Designers a circular asking for new designs for the Silver coins of the U. S.

RECEIVED
APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., ~~April 8, 1891.~~, 189 .

The Superintendent, U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Enclosed herewith I send you U. S. draft No. 23853, for $50.00, payable to your order, in lieu of the money order enclosed in your communication of the 7th inst.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

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Treasury Department -
Washington. D. C.
April. 8. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director,

Sends U. S. Draft. no
23853 for $50 -
in lieu of money
order sent in -
communication
of 7th inst.

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APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. 109.

Treasury Department,

R.P.G. OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 8th, 1891.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Ordinary, Refinery and Coinage of Silver Bullion expense Accounts, with Abstracts and Vouchers, for the month ending March 31, 1891.

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U. S.
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 1-28-'87—1,000.]

1272

Treasury Department.
Washington, D.C.
April 8. 1891

E. O. Leech
Director.

Acknowledging receipt of Ordinary, Refinery & Coinage of Silver. Bullion Expense Accts for March 31. 1891.

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APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(No. 107 b.)

Treasury Department,

F.F.G. OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 8th 1891.

Sir:

I have requested the Secretary of the Treasury to cause to be advanced you the sum of $ 1500.00, *to meet the expenses of the refinery in connection with your institution during the present month, payable from the appropriation for "Parting and refining bullion."*

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

O. C. Dosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 10-18-'80—1,000.]

1273

Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
April. 8. 1891

E. O. Leach.
Director.

Has requested an advance to be made $1500.00, for Parting & Refining Bullion.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(No. 107 *a*.)

Treasury Department,

A.P.L. OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 8th, 1891.

Sir:

Your requisition for funds to meet the expenses of your institution during the Month of April, 1891, *has been approved for the sum of* $ 34500.00, *payable from the following appropriations made for the support of your* Mint *during the current fiscal year, viz:*

Salaries,	1891,	$ 3,500
Wages of Workmen,	1891,	25,000
Contingent Expenses,	1891,	6000
	188 ,	

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech
Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 10-18-'80—1,000.]

1274

Treasury Department
Washington, D.C.
April 8. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director.

Approved, requisition
to meet expenses
for support of mint
$34.500.00

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT.

P.H.L. Washington, D. C., April 8th, 1891.

A. C. Bosbyshell Esq
Supt. Mint U.S.
Philadelphia Pa

Sir:

I have this day requested the Secretary of the Treasury to cause to be advanced you the sum of $10,000 from the appropriation for the "coinage of silver bullion", act July 14, 1890, to meet in part the expense of that coinage at your mint during the current month.

Respectfully yours

E. O. Leech

Director

1275

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 8, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

SUBJECT:

Has requested an advance to be made of $10.000. for "Coinage of Silver Bullion".

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 8, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Clark, Dodge & Co	100,000	Ounces, at $ .9800
Guinemann & Forshay	120,000	Ounces, at $ .9800
Guinemann & Forshay	50,000	Ounces, at $ .9799
Handy & Harman	200,000	Ounces, at $ .9799
	470 000	Ounces, at $
		Ounces, at $
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		Ounces, at $

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 1-2-'91—1,000.]

1276

FORM NO. 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

April 8, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

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APR 9 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

Cincinnati, Ohio, APR 8 1891, 189 .

Superintendent U.S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

I have forwarded to you to day on Transfer Order No. 9334 Uncurrent Minor Coins as follows:

1¢ pieces	414
2¢ pieces	884
3¢ pieces	2.078
5¢ pieces	200
Total	$3.576.00

An inadvertance in report by Coin Teller made 3¢ Nickels $200.00 in excess of actual amount, figures transposed from 5¢ Nickels. Have added amount of that denomination to fill order.

Very Respectfully

C K Stout

acting Asst. Treas. U.S. Cin'ti O.

12576

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

CINCINNATI, OHIO,

April 8, 1891.

C. K. Stout.
Actg Assistant Treasurer U. S.

SUBJECT:

Sends on J. O. no 19334.
Uncurrent minor coins.

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APR 4 1891

No. of Inclosures,

1365

Pottstown, Pa.
April 8. 1891

C. G. Bockus

Asks for an interview

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APR 21 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

341 Water St.
Pottstown Pa.
Apr. 8' 91

Col O. C. Bosbyshell
Supt. of the Mint
Philadelphia

Sir:

Through the kindness of Mr. A. P. Chism, I learned that you had written me some time ago. I have not received it (the letter) and have been unsuccessful in tracing it. Will it be convenient for you to see me for a few minutes Saturday afternoon (11th inst) or if that is not convenient will you kindly name a day when I can see you?

Very Tly
C. G. Bockus

5,000-12-88

No. _____ Philadelphia 4/9 1891

Received from WM. SELLERS & CO., Incorporated, Engineers,

In good order,

1 Brass Casting - Box for Cutting Press
1 - Pattern for Same

(33073)

Recd 4/9/91

For U. S. Mint.

4-9-91

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 9th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

1 bar F. W. Moss, steel 5/8 x 3/8 in
1 " " " " " 4/8 x 3/8 in

Chas. E. Barber
Engraver

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1284

Approved: April 9th, 1891.

for *Superintendent.*

FORM 130 B.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Melter and Refiner's Office, Apr. 9th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Department, viz:

1 Load Salt

D. K. Guile

Melter and Refiner.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-14-'87—1,000.]

FORM 130 B.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Melter and Refiner's Requisition for Supplies, No. 12185

Approved: April 9th, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 9th, 1891.

Sir: Fred J. Rentlinger

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One Brand "U.S. Mint" for burning on wood
One Stamp "U.S. Mint" for marking same tools &c

The order
Please send to this office

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1286

Approved: April 9th, 1891.

Superintendent.

Dollars. 1795

Flowing hair. Very fine $3.00
" " Very good 1.60
Fillet head. Very fine 2.50

The above were sold at a Coin Sale in Philadelphia, March 30-31. 1891. at the prices named.

An uncirculated 1795 dollar, that is, one that does not show by scratch or wear that it ever was in circulation, would bring about 10 or 12 dollars.

J.C.

To the Superintendant of U.S. Mint
Philadelphia
Penna

Dear Sir

I have in charg a well preserved Dollar of 1795. Will you please tell me what it is worth. The owner want one Thousand dollars for it. Answer on enclosed postal and oblige

John DeHarmo
1414 W Madison
Louisville Ky

April 9th 1891

1319

Louisville. Ky.
April 9, 1891

John DeGarmo.

Asks value of Dollar
of 1795.

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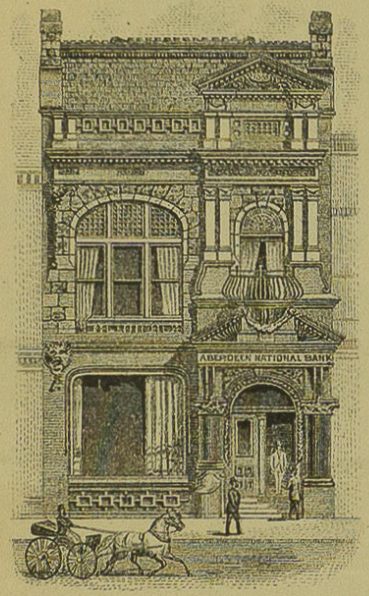

ROBT. MOODY PREST. JNO. T. Mc CHESNEY, V. PREST F. W. BROOKS, CASHR.

3326.

ABERDEEN NATIONAL BANK.

GEO. D. BARNARD & CO. ST. LOUIS.

Aberdeen, South Dakota.

Apr. 9th, L891.

Supt. of United States Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir;-

Enclosed we hand you our New York draft for $70.00 for which kindly send us, by registered mail, that amount in dimes.

Yours Respectfully,

S. F. W. Brooks Cash.

1315

Aberdeen. S. Dakota.
April 9. 1891

Aberdeen Nat Bank

Enclosed draft $70.00
for returns in Dimes.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No 3587.

Alabama National Bank
CAPITAL $ 500,000.

JOS. F JOHNSTON, President.
Gen. E. W. RUCKER, Vice Pres't.
GEO. H. WADDELL, Cashier.
H. B. URQUHART, Ass't. Cashier.

Kentucky Litho Co., Louisville

Birmingham, Ala. April 4 1891

My dear Sir

Will you kindly furnish me with the following items

1 The world's supply of coin & bullion
2 Annual production of gold & silver and amounts thereof used in the arts.
3d Relative value of silver to gold in the coinage of
1 Great Britain.
2 United States
3 France
4 Germany
5 Austria
6 India

Your kind attention will oblige

Yours truly

Jos. F. Johnston
Pres't.

Mr Leech
Director of the Mint
Philadelphia
Penn

1312

Birmingham. Ala.
April 9. 1891

John F. Johnston

Asks information relative to Gold & Silver Productions of 1889.

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APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Form 2.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT U. S. LIFE-SAVING SERVICE,

Washington, D. C., April 9, 1891.

Supt. U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.,
c/o Director of the Mint,
Sir:

Herewith is transmitted Draft No. 472311, dated 8th instant, and drawn on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York City, by GEORGE A. BARTLETT, Disbursing Clerk, in your favor, for the sum of forty-two and 50/100 Dollars ($42 50/100), in liquidation of your bill against the Life-Saving Service dated as follows:

March	13, 1891.	$19.75.
"	25, "	22.75.

Respectfully yours,

A. S. Kimball
General Superintendent

(Ed. 6-27-'90—1,000.)

1310

Albany. N. Y.
April 9, 1891

Fred. M. Emmet

Wants copy of circular in reference to new designs for Coins.

RECEIVED
APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Albany, N. Y., Apr. 9, 1891.

Mr. Leach,
Director of the U. S. mint —
Dear Sir:—

By a recent issue of the "Albany Evening Journal" I learn that you are preparing to send a circular letter to artists that they may submit designs for U. S. coins.

Please sent me a copy of the circular.

Yours respectfully,
Fred. M. Emmet,

31 N. Swan St.,
Albany, N. Y.

1309

North Tarrytown, N.Y.
April 9. 1891

Edgar M. Bacon

Wants circular in reference to new designs for Coins.

RECEIVED
APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

North Tarrytown N.Y.
April 9 '91

Dear Sir:

Having seen in a Washington dispatch the statement that you have ~~[illegible]~~ issued circulars to artists, stating conditions of competition for the designs of the new coins and being desirous of competing I beg that you will favor me with one of the circulars

Oblige
Edgar Meyhew Bacon

Director of the Mint
Phila Pa

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York April 9th 1891

Jas. C. Bostwick Esq.
Phila.

Dear Sir

We have shipped you today per Adams Express. through the Am Ex. Nat. Bank

58 Bar Silver = = 61.129. oz

as per enclosed invoices which kindly apply to our sale 8th of 200m oz

@ 97.99

Please credit us pounds

care of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours very

Handy & Harman

1306

New York
April 9. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, April 9th 1891

Mr O C Boabyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 103 bars of silver weighing 117928.55 oz
Kindly send us returns for the above including check on a/c (tomorrow without fail) to the order of the Fourth Natl Bank of N.Y. City.

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1304

New York
April 9. 1891

Zimmermann & Forshay

Ship Silver

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APR 10 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

ZIMMERMANN & FORSHAY,
Members of the New York Stock Exchange.
BANKERS,
No. 11 WALL STREET.
CABLE ADDRESS, "FORSHAY, N. Y."

New York, April 9th 1891

Mr O. C. Boabyshell
Supt U S Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

We ship you this day 102 bars of silver mighing 105462.00 ozs
Kindly send returns for the above including check on a/c (tomorrow without fail) to the order of Messrs Leon Hoffmann and Co
50 Wall St, New York City

We remain, dear Sir
Yours very truly
Zimmermann & Forshay

1305

New York
April 9. 1891

Zimmermann & Forshay

Ship Silver

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

1303

Lancaster. Pa.
April 9. 1891

G. H. Sachs.

Wants circular relating to new designs for Coins

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Lanc, Pa. April 9th 1891.

Mr Edward O Leech

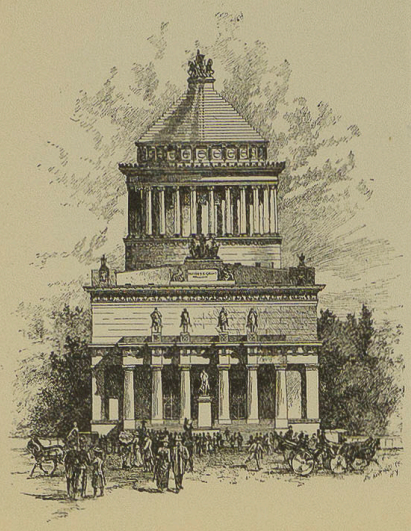
Dear Sir!

Please send me a circular & letter of information of the Designs of new coins to be established under the recent act of Congress providing for new designs of our coins and oblige

Your Respectfully

G. H. Sachs.

21 S Mary St Lancaster Pa



146 BROADWAY, N. Y.

New York, April 9th, 1891.

My Dear Major:

I do not think I answered your last letter, and I cannot now lay my hand on it, but my recollection is that you asked me about how many medals I should require in addition to those you make for the banquet.

I should like an estimate for one thousand to be put up in plain paper boxes. These we propose to sell at the Grant Monument for one dollar each, if it leaves us a fair margin of profit.

Yours very sincerely:

Charles H. T. Collis

To

Major O.C. Bosbyshell.,

1301

New York
April 9. 1891

Chas. H. T. Collis

Wants an estimate for 1000 medals put up in plain paper boxes.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 9, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Sir:

You will please have prepared and mounted three silver life-saving medals, and forward the same with case as early as practicable, accompanied by your account for the same, to this Bureau.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

1278

Treas'y Dept.
Washington. D.C.
April 9. 1891

E. O. Leech
Director

Requests 3 Silver Life Saving Medals prepared & mounted - forwarded with case -

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(FORM 98½.)

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 9, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

The following coins, reserved at your Mint during the month of April, 1891, *and forwarded to the Bureau of the Mint for special assay, have been received, viz:*

	$
4 S.S. Dollars Dble. #82 #83	4.00
TOTAL	$4.00

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

1279

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 9, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Receipt of special assay coins reserved during month of April, 1891.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

No. 170.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 9, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

I transmit herewith the Assayer's report upon assay coins taken from the first and two subsequent deliveries in each week at your Mint during the Month of April, 1891, *and forwarded for test as prescribed by the Regulations.*

The coins were found to be within the legal limits of tolerance.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 2-2-'88—500.]

1280

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 9, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Sends Assayers Report of Assay coins, March, 1891.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 8, 1891.

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States at* Philadelphia, *in* April, 1891.

Denomination 1 dollar and ½ dollar.

No. of Delivery.	Weight. Grains.	Weight. Dec.	Fineness. Gold.	Fineness. Silver.	Fineness. Copper.
76	412	54		900	
	412	65		899 8	
77	412	93		900	
	413	10		899 8	
Ave	412.80			899.9	
78	194	15		899 6	
	193	50		899 8	
Average	193	82		899 7	

Cabell Whitehead.
Assayer.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Mch Shop

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Mr. Sellers & Co April 10th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One (1) Fly Wheel, as per estimate of April 6th
24" wheel 2 1/2" face 2 1/2" Bore

Fred James
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1287

Approved: Apr. 10, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

E. A. Hollis April 10th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Three (3) Gross of Brass Screws.
One (1) " " " Screw rings,

Samuel Jones
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1288

Approved: Apr. 10, 1891.

for *Superintendent.*

FORM 130 B.

Mint of the United States

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Melter and Refiner's Office, April 10th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Department, viz:

29 2160/2240 Tons Bro: Coal (March)

1 Load of Oak Charcoal

Boyd

Melter and Refiner.

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-14-'87—1,000.]

FORM 130 B.

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Melter and Refiner's Requisition for Supplies, No. 1289-90

Approved: Apr. 10, 1890.

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Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 10th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

1/2 Doz (Clinton's) Nine O. White Bristle Brushes
1. " " " " " Dash tools
1. " Flat Varnish Brushes
1. " Fitches
1/2 " Wall Brushes
1. Painters Pallette Knife

To be selected. Please send order to Custodian office

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1291

Approved: Apr. 10, 1891.

for *Superintendent.*

ONLY the FIRM'S PRINTED RECEIPT will be acknowledged as settling this Account.

SACKS, BARRELS, &c. NOT RETURNABLE.

Folio B 578

ESTABLISHED 1819.

Philadelphia, APR 10 1891 189

M. U. S. Mint

BOUGHT OF

ALEX. KERR, BROTHER & CO.

ALEX. KERR.
FRANK KERR.
SAM'L T. KERR.

Manufacturers of Domestic and Importers of Foreign

SALT

PIER 8 NORTH WHARVES,
Between Arch & Race Sts.

Allen, Lane & Scott, Lith. Phil.

Terms: Cash.

KERR SALT CO.
Rock Glen N.Y.
ON ERIE—LEHIGH VALLEY
and
BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURG
RAIL ROADS.

ADDRESS
All Communications to Offices
PHILADELPHIA, PA.,
OR BALTIMORE, MD

34 Bus G.B.		30		10	20

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Recd 4/10/91

4-10-91

2421 Kingman Ave.,
Des Moines, Iowa,

Supt. U. S. Mint,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:

With this I hand you a piece of cable, Montana, gold, which please put through uncle Sam's mill, and send me N. Y. exchange for its value.

Respectfully Yours,
T. K. Clarke.

~~March~~ April 10, 1891.

1316

Des Moines. Iowa.
April 10. 1891

J. L. Clarke

Sends nugget of
Gold for its return
value.

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APR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Organized 1845.
Reorganized as a National Bank 1864.
Capital $700,000.
J. T. Bailey, President. D. S. Waterman, Cashier. E. A. Church, Asst. Cashier.

Boylston National Bank

Boston, Apl. 10 1891.

Superintendent United States Mint,
Phila, Pa.

Sir,

I enclose New York draft for ($1000) one thousand dollars.

Please send to this bank the amount in dimes as early as you can.

Respt. Yours,
D. S. Waterman
Cashier

1320

Boston. Mass.

April 10. 1891

Boylston Nat Bank

Enclosed draft. $1000
for returns in Dimes.

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APR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York April 10 1891

Mr. O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Phila

Dear Sir.

We have shipped you today for Adams Express Co. through the Am Exchange Nat. Bank 52 Bars Silver = 54.673.70 ozs as per enclosed invoices which kindly apply ck our sales today of 64m ozs @ 97.95

Please credit us pounds cum of Am Ex Nat Bank.

Yours resp'y
Handy & Harman

1314

New York
April 10. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

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APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Charles N. Thorpe,
Pres't and Gen'l Mg'r.

H. L. Roberts,
Sec'y and Trea's.

Keystone Watch Case Co.

Factories and Main Office.
Nineteenth and Brown Streets.

New York Office, 12 Maiden Lane.
Chicago Office, 104 State Street.

Philadelphia, April 10th, 189

Mr. Mark H. Cobb,

A.Supt., U.S.Mint,

Philadelphia.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 9th at hand and carefully noted. We did not understand how we should order the fine gold and supposed we were doing it in the proper way. We thank you for the favor and will see that in future our orders are made out in accordance with your customs.

Yours truly,

Keystone Watch Case Co.,

Per, C. D.

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Phila.
April 10. 1891

Keystone Watch Case Co.

Will see that in future, for fine Gold orders are made in accordance with customs.

RECEIVED
APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

R. L. Edwards Pres't. James B. Colgate, Vice Pres't. B. C. Dwr, Cashier.

CAPITAL $ 1,200,000. SURPLUS $ 300,000.

THE BANK OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

ORGANIZED 1836.

New York Apl 10 1891

Supt of the Mint
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find invoice silver bars 19927 4/10 oz. shipped by express this day 1/2 of Messrs Colgate & Co. for which please make returns by draft on U.S. Asst Treas N.Y. under cover to this Bank

Yours truly

B. C. Dwr
Cashier.

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New York

April 10. 1891

Bank of State of N. Y.

Ship Silver

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APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Office of Clark, Dodge & Co.,
51 Wall Street,
New York, Apl 10th 189

To

The Superintendent of the U. S. Mint,
~~New Orleans, La.~~
Phila

Sir:

There will be further shipments to you for our account from Omaha of 100,000 ounces of silver.

Please account to us for same as usual, and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

Clark, Dodge & Co.

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New York
April 10. 1891

Clark, Dodge & Co.

Ship Silver

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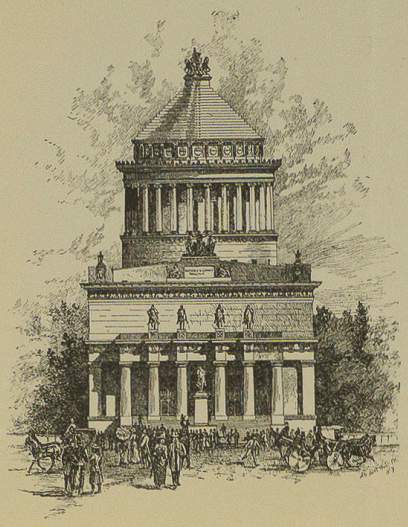

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~~146~~ BROADWAY, N. Y.

April 10th, 1891.

My Dear Major:

Yours of yesterday received. I wrote you last evening asking for an estimate of one thousand medals in addition to those ordered for the banquet (one hundred and fifty). I leave the arrangement of the inscription entirely to your taste and have no objection to your putting the words "U.S. Grant" on either side of the medal. If you could send me by return mail a rough sketch of your idea, I will return it at once, but if you have not time to do this, please go ahead without regard to my judgment in the matter.

Was the Centennial medal which I caused to be sent to you, the one you needed?

Yours very truly:

Charles H. T. Collis

To

Major O.C. Bosbyshell.,

1307

New York
April 10. 1891

Chas. H. S. Collis

Relative to Grant Medals.

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APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. 170.

Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 10, 1891.

A. C. Boshyshell Esq.

Superintendent Mint U. S.,

Philadelphia Pa.

Sir:

I transmit herewith the Assayer's report upon assay coins taken from the first and two subsequent deliveries in each week at your Mint during the Month of April, 1891, and forwarded for test as prescribed by the Regulations.

The coins were found to be within the legal limits of tolerance.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 2-2-'88—500.]

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 10, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

Transmits Assayer's report on Assay Coins for April 1891

RECEIVED
APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. of Inclosures,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 10, 1891.

ASSAYER'S REPORT *of test coins issued at Mint of United States at* Philadelphia, *in* April, 1891.

Denomination S.S. Dollars.

No. of Delivery.	Weight.		Fineness.		
	Grains.	Dec.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.
81	412	30		899 8	
	412	40		900 4	
Average	412	35		900 1	

Cabell Whitehead,
Assayer.

(Ed. 2-6-'90—500.)

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APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 10, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Purchases of Silver Bullion under the provisions of the Act of July 14, 1890, have been made this day by the Secretary of the Treasury, for delivery at your Mint, of the following parties, at the rates and for the amounts respectively named, which you will receive and pay for by draft on the Assistant Treasurer at New York, payable in Treasury notes:

Clark, Dodge & Co	100,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9800	✓
Fourth National Bank	28,500	Ounces, at $ 0.97875	✓
Fourth National Bank	19,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9795	✓
Nesslage Colgate & Co	20,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9800	✓
Handy & Harman	64,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9795	✓
Handy & Harman	100,000	Ounces, at $ 0.9800	✓
	331,500	Ounces, at $	
		Ounces, at $	
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Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

[Ed. 1-2-'91—1,000.]

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FORM No. 230.

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

April 10, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTIFICATION

OF THE

PURCHASE OF SILVER.

RECEIVED
APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 10, 1891.

O. C. Bosbyshell, Esq.,

Superintendent Mint U.S.,

Philadelphia,

Pennsylvania.

Sir:

I inclose herewith letter from General Superintendent of the Life Saving service, transmitting draft of George A. Bartlett, Disbursing Clerk, on the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York, for forty-two dollars and fifty cents [$42.50], the same being in payment of your account for two silver, and one life saving medal, forwarded to this Bureau on the 13th and 25th ultimo.

I also return herewith medal fund vouchers signed in duplicate.

Respectfully yours,

E. O. Leech

Director of the Mint.

Inclosures.

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Treasy Dept.
Washington D.C
April 10. 1891

E. O. Leech.
Director

Encloses letter from Genl Supt of Life Saving Service - transmitting draft of Geo. A. Bartlett for $42.50 in payment for 2 Silver & 1 Life Saving Medal.
Also returns Medal Fund Voucher signed in duplicate.

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U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(No. 187 B.)

Treasury Department,

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BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 10, 1891.

Sir:

I have requested that the Bullion Fund of your Institution be increased by a transfer of Three Million

Dollars, ($3,000,000.-) *and that the same be placed to your credit with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at* New York in Treasury Notes

Very respectfully,

E. O. Leech

Director.

O. C. Bosbyshell Esq.

Superintendent U. S. Mint

Philadelphia Pa

[Ed. 3-3-'83—1,000.]

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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

April 10, 1891.

E. O. Leech

Director.

NOTICE

OF

REQUEST FOR INCREASE OF BULLION FUND

By a Transfer of $ 3,000,000

RECEIVED
APR 11 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

East Berkshire, Vermont.
Apr. 11th 91

Director of the U. S. Mint.
Philadelphia
Pa.

Dear Sir.

The enclosed item clipped from a New York newspaper has attracted my attention and I would be pleased to receive the Circular letters mentioned which probably contain full information as to the requirements &c of the designs to be submitted.

Respectfully yours.

Chas. H. Adams

—The Director of the Mint at Philadelphia, has prepared a circular letter to artists asking them to submit designs for both the obverse and reverse of the standard silver dollar, and separate designs for the obverse, or face, of the half dollar, quarter dollar and dime. The reverse of the subsidiary silver coins will not be changed. No change will be made in the gold coins.

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East-Berkshire. Vt.
April 11. 1891

Chas H. Andrews.

Wants circular relative to new designs for Coins.

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APR 15 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 11th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Six (6) Doz. cakes. Sapolio. (Geo. W. Borst.)

Twenty four (24) lbs. (48 P. Kgs.) Babbitt's 1776 Soap Powder (Geo. W. Borst)

Three Hundred (300) lbs. Borax Soap (Geo. W. Borst).

One (1) Bbl. Refined Borax. (Roller & Shoemaker)
Ten (10) Galls. Methylin, (ditto)

Ten (10) Doz. Prs. Buckskin Mitts. No. 1. (James Robertson)

One Hundred & Eight (108) lbs. Sand Soap. (Geo. W. Borst)

Wm. J. McConnell.
Storekeeper

James F. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No 1292×93×94

Approved: April 11th, 1891.

Superintendent.

71 NEPONSET AVENUE,
HYDE PARK, MASS.

To The Director of the Mint-

Dear Sir

I write to ask for Information about designs to be supplied by you as regards new coins to be engraved

by attending to the above you will confer a favour

Yours Sincerely

J. Douglas Cobb

1321

Hyde Park, Mass.
April 11, 1891

J. Douglass Scott

Asks information regarding new designs for Coins.

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APR 13 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

BUREAU OF NATURAL HISTORY. ESTABLISHED 1876. TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

SOUTHWICK & CRITCHLEY,

—DEALERS IN—

Mammal ✻ & ✻ Bird ✻ Skins, ✻ Eggs, ✻ Minerals, ✻ Shells,

NATURALISTS' SUPPLIES AND PUBLICATIONS.

Animals and Birds Mounted to Order either from Fresh Specimens or Dry Skins.

258 Westminster Street.

Providence, R. I., April 11 1891

Director of the U. S. Mint.
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir,

Will you kindly mail me a copy of your circular describing the conditions of the competition for the new coin designs? and oblige,

Yours truly
Albert A. Southwick
46 Brighton St.
Providence R.I.

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Providence, R. I.
April 11. 1891

Albert A. Southwick

Wants circular relative
to new designs for Coins

RECEIVED
APR 14 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box. 2442.

24 NASSAU ST.

New York April 11th 1891

Mr O. T. Bosbyshell, Supt.
Phila.

Dear Sir

You will receive on Monday morning 13th inst about 30.000 ounces silver direct from the Grama Lead & S. Works which, kindly apply a/c our sales Apl 10th of 100.000 ozs @ 98¼ & unit no pounds cert of Am Ex Nat. Bk

Yours very
Handy & Harman

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New York
April 11. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
APR 13 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

PARKER D. HANDY. JNO. F. HARMAN. J. L. MYERS.

Handy & Harman,

BULLION, SPECIE & BONDS.

P. O. Box, 2442.

21 NASSAU ST.

New York April 11 1891

Mr O. C. Bosbyshell Supt.
Chile.

Dear Sir.

We have shipped you today per Adams Express Co. through the Am Ex Nat. Bank
9 Bars Silver : 9583.00 ozs.
to complete sale 10.^d of 64.^m ozs @ 97.^95
41 Bars Silver : 43.333.00 ozs
@ sale 10.^d of 100.^m ozs @ 98.
as per enclosed invoice
Please print no proofs are of Am Ex Nat. Bank

Yours truly
Handy & Harman

1317

New York
April 11. 1891

Handy & Harman

Ship Silver

RECEIVED
APR 13 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

No. 108.

Treasury Department,

F.M. BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 11th, 1891.

O C Bosbyshell Esq
Superintt US
Philadelphia Pa

Sir:

C. D. No. 7900, *for* $1100.00, *being on account of* Medal Fund profits *inclosed in your communication of the* 10th instant, *has been received, properly indorsed, and forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury,* — *personal credit to be given you in your* Medal Fund *accounts, and the amount to be covered into the Treasury* as a miscellaneous receipt.

Respectfully yours,

R E Preston
Acting Director.

(Ed. 7-20-'89—1,000.)

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Treasury Department
Washington. D.C.
April 11. 1891

R. E. Preston.
Acting Director.

Received & forwarded
C/D. no. 7900.
$1,100.00
Medal Fund.

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APR 13 1891
U.S. MINT, PHILA.

Salem Mo April 12, 1891

Supt Mint
Philadelphia
Penna

Dear Sir

Would you please inform me where I could sell an ore that has Nickel in it. Where do they handle ore of that kind in the United States.

Report of Analysis of C.W. Kolbe Chemist

Iron	35.40	per cent
Nickel	1.57	" "
Copper	1.27	" "

Dont the Government use Iron with Nickel in it for her war Ships

Please let me here from you.

Salem. Mo
Dent. Co.

Yours truly
W. J. Sanley

1335

Salem. Mo.
April 12. 1891

W. J. Sankey

Asks when he can
sell ore with nickel
in it.

RECEIVED
APR 15 1891
U. S. MINT, PHILA.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 13th, 1891.

Sir: Immediate Ship

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

8. Bars A.B. Iron 3/4" Round

Castleis
20. pounds 5-8 finishing nails

James E. MacLane
Superintendent

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 130001

Approved: April 13th, 1891.

Superintendent.

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 13th, 1891.

Sir: Roller and Shovels

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Four (4) Barrels English Portland Cement

Required for use Tuesday morning

James O'Mullane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1302

Approved: April 13th, 1891.

[illegible] for *Superintendent.*

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 14th, 1891.

Sir: Bordie & Company

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One 12" Stop Box and Lid
(Extra Heavy lid)

Please telephone and send order by mail

James P. MacLane
Assistant

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1303

Approved: April 13th, 1891.

Superintendent.

Mch Shop

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

Henry. S. Snell. April. 13th, 1891.

Sir:

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

One (1) #1 - Electric Fan - as per estimate,

Thos Jones
Machinist

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1299

Approved: April 13, 1891.

Acting *Superintendent.*

(Form 130 D.)

Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA,

April 13th, 1891.

Sir: Castelli

Please furnish the following necessary supplies for use in this Mint, viz:

Two Yale Locks
eight (8) Sash fasteners
one doz. Door Stayes
one doz. Closet Locks

J. H. Matthews & Co Brad and Race Set

One Maple Board 16 in. wd. 14 ft. long planed both sides

C. Heim

300 ft. of 2 in. Rock mld.
230 ft. of 3½ in. finishing mld.
Please send order to Custodian

James E. MacLane
Custodian

To the Superintendent.

[Ed. 12-21-'89—2,000.]

(Form 130 D.)

PHILADELPHIA MINT.

Requisition for Supplies No. 1295 x 96 x 98

Approved: April 13th, 1891.

Acting *Superintendent.*